

FORECAST—Moderate to fresh northeast winds, shifting to easterly, cloudy and milder, with showers today and Friday. Sunshine yesterday, 7 hours 36 minutes.

# Victoria Daily Times

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| Jan. 24 | 4:17 | 8:1 | 4:57 |
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Sun sets, 4:57; rises Friday, 7:53.

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## Britain's Strength Assessed



Prime Minister Churchill personally escorts Harry Hopkins, President Roosevelt's envoy, on a tour, to show him from the inside the defences Britain has now set up against Hitler.



While from the outside, across the Channel, Hitler himself stands under one of his camouflaged coastal guns, gazes over the water to the Dover cliffs of unbeaten England, knowing that it is England's defences that are baffling him. This gun was brought to the coast from the Maginot Line.

## 4 More Italian Generals, 1 Admiral Taken by British

CAIRO (AP)—British headquarters announced today that capture of Tobruk, Italian Libyan base, was completed last night and that more than 14,000 prisoners were taken.

The communique said the prisoners included four generals, one a corps commander and another a divisional commander, and an admiral and a number of senior army and naval staff officers.

(These four added to the generals reported captured in the Sidi Barrani and Bardia actions would make a total of 14 Italian generals captured by the British.)

"About 200 guns of all calibres have been captured, with quantities of other military material," said the communique.

"Enemy casualties are not yet fully ascertained, but 2,000 wounded already are being evacuated."

British casualties were less than 500.

Isolated Italian units were being mopped up west of the Libyan stronghold, which capitulated after a 36-hour frontal attack following a 16-day siege.

### Drive Continues In East Africa

The communique made succinct references to offensive actions against the Italian East Africa, hundreds of miles from the north African or Libyan battle line.

It told of continued pressure east of Kenya colony, facing both Ethiopia and Italian Somaliland.

British troops which pursued the Italians from Kassala, in the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan near the border of Italian Eritrea, were said to have established contact with the enemy within Eritrea, where the Fascists had taken up defensive positions dominating Visalia and Karentu. Operations continue to develop successfully, said the communique.

### Raiders Start Fires at Derna

Royal Air Force headquarters said heavy raids were staged Monday night on Derna, 95 miles west of Tobruk. The bombs started fires which the R.A.F. said could be seen 80 miles away. Derna would be the immediate major objective of a British drive farther along the Libyan coast.

Barracks "and other military targets" were hit by tons of bombs, the communique said. Capture of Tobruk, the best harbor between Alexandria and Tunis, gave British forces un-

disputed control of 80 miles of the Libyan coastline and possession of an ideal base from which to continue their westward drive.

British circles in Cairo, jubilant over the fall, predicted the remainder of Cyrenaica (eastern Libya)—including the coastal bases of Derna and Benghazi—would be in the hands of Gen. Sir Archibald P. Wavell's forces by spring.

### Compelling Germans To Divide Forces

These sources said the greatest obstacle to this achievement might be the German air force, recently operating in the Mediterranean. They declared, however, that should Hitler find it necessary to take a major hand in the war in north Africa in an effort to save Libya for the Italians, British would have achieved a major objective in forcing the Germans to divide their forces.

Tobruk's last defences, the British high command announced, fell at noon yesterday before the onslaught of Australian shock troops.

Edward Kennedy, an Associated Press correspondent at the front, reported he saw one detachment of 4,000 prisoners being marched away from the battlefield on Tuesday, on the opening days of the assault.

The Italian losses were described by this observer as heavier than at Bardia—the Libyan port 65 miles to the east which fell to Wavell's men January 5.

### British Fliers Supreme in Air

First-hand accounts of assault on Tobruk, which began at dawn Tuesday, said the Royal Air Force held unopposed control of the air throughout the attack.

The British fleet, which stood offshore and poured tons of explosives into the town, likewise was said to have met no naval opposition.

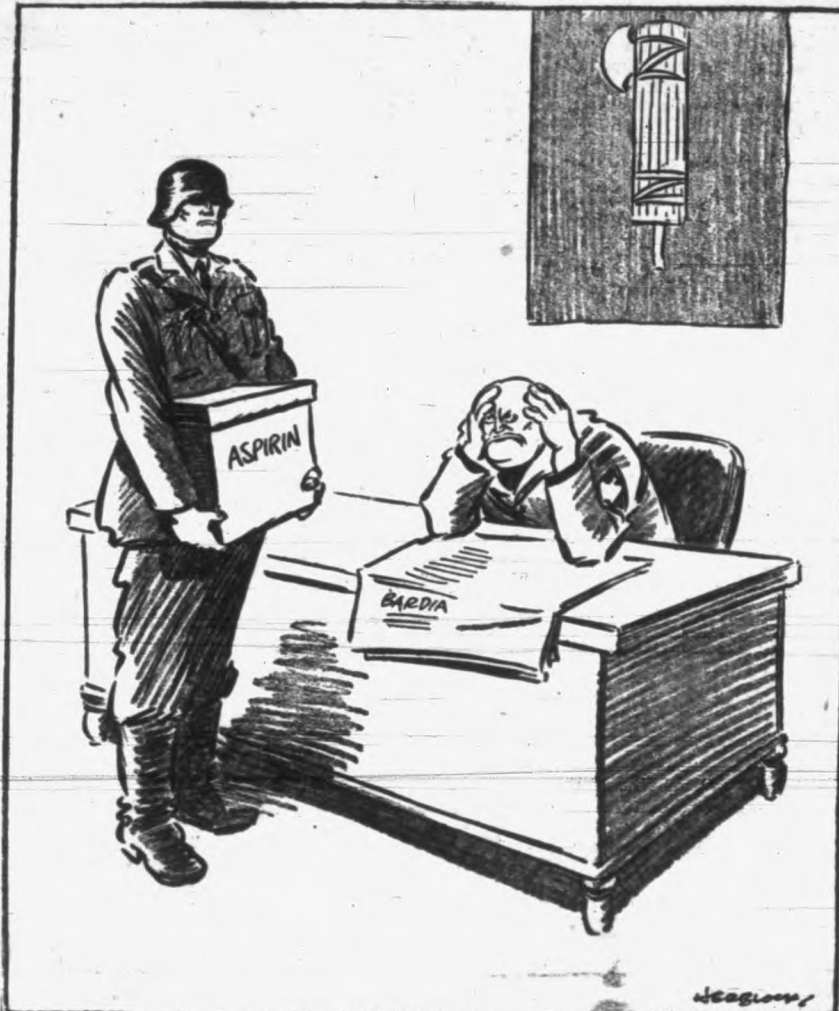
A feint by Australian units along the coast to the east of Tobruk apparently paved the way for the final assault.

### Over 2 Divisions Of Enemy Captured

LONDON (CP)—British military circles said today that more than two divisions of Italian troops had been captured at Tobruk, together with "a large amount of booty," bringing to about 100,000 the total number of prisoners taken so far in the North African campaign.

Military sources declined to speculate on the future course of

And Now Tobruk



the Libyan offensive, but said advanced British patrols already had reached positions in the Derna - Mekill area west of Tobruk.

British troops also were reported to have command of airports at El Adem, El Gazala and El Tmimi, and the seaplane base at Bomba. All these can be used as British bases after some clearing up has been done, it was said.

### Headquarters Of Corps Taken

In occupying Tobruk, British sources said, the forces captured the headquarters of the 22nd Italian Army Corps and the commanding general and also the general commanding the fixed defences of the town.

When the British troops got into Tobruk, it was said, they found three ships burning in the harbor, one of them a large liner. Booty seized was said to have included tanks, motor vehicles and large quantities of ammunition.

Military circles said a few pockets might still be holding out at Tobruk, but that in general the whole defending army could be said to have been taken.

Besides the two divisions re-

ported captured at Tobruk, these circles said, remnants of some forces previously disintegrated by the British forces probably were seized.

Troops of "one of our allies"—presumably Free French forces of Gen. Charles de Gaulle—participated in the assault.

### 11 Divisions Out of Action

Military circles said that, with the fall of Tobruk, the British troops had "captured, destroyed or disintegrated" 11 Italian divisions in the desert campaign. It was made plain the estimate of 100,000 prisoners "is merely an estimate and the number may run higher or lower." (Italian divisions ordinarily average about 12,000 men.)

### Italians Admit Break-through

ROME (AP)—A communique from the Italian high command today said:

"A very bitter battle among the strongholds of the Tobruk fortress continued throughout yesterday. Only in the afternoon did Australians break through to

inhabited portions of Tobruk, where everything was aflame and the old warship San Giorgio had been blown up with dynamite. In the western sector of the fortress some strongholds still are offering strenuous resistance to the enemy attack. Italian forces concentrated at Tobruk consisted of only one division plus several detachments of sailors and frontier guards. The enemy will be compelled to admit that losses suffered by its five attacking divisions were especially severe.

(The number of British forces employed in the operation has not been disclosed.)

"Our air force bombed enemy troop concentrations. The enemy air force carried out raids on several places in Libya, causing some damage.

"British planes raided Catania and another base in Sicily the night of January 22, without causing damage."

"In east Africa on the Sudan front there were artillery and patrol actions in the Gallabat zone. Enemy attacks in the Cheru region were repelled by counterattacks, which inflicted considerable losses on the enemy."

## The War Today

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON  
APPEALNOTE

New Italian defeats in Africa and Albania and an internal crisis of uncertain origin and scope in Rumania strike an ironic after-note to the recent Hitler-Mussolini "victory" pow-wow.

Rome and Berlin commentators pictured the Axis mates as shaping decisions for an early knock-out blow at Britain. Events since they met have cast fresh doubts on that explanation. They strongly indicate Il Duce was pleading for an effective Nazi rescue expedition which the Balkan flare-up is making increasingly difficult for Hitler to send.

### FALLS SHORT

German air intervention in the central Mediterranean has not materially helped Mussolini. It could not save Tobruk and its Fascist garrison from the British Army of the Nile, headed by Australian shock troops. The Greeks have reported throwing back the most formidable Italian counter-attack of the Albanian campaign and making some new gains.

Internal disorders in Rumania are hampering incalculably any immediate aid to Italy by the massive Nazi military force gathered there.

Nor is it by any means certain that Russian influences may not have had something to do with instigation of the Rumanian rioting. Some Communists are reported to have been casualties in the street fighting. On wing of the Rumanian Iron Guard is definitely more pro-Soviet than pro-Nazi. Berlin cannot well ignore a possible underground relationship between Moscow and the Rumanian turmoil.

The theory that Moscow wel-

## Final Bulletins

### Recapture Nazi

AN EAST COAST CANADIAN PORT (CP)—City police, acting on a woman's tip, rounded up Peter Schjering, a 30-year-old German airman, today and closed the case of two Nazi prisoners who escaped late yesterday as they were being removed to a train from the ship which had brought them to Canada from Britain.

(See earlier story on Page 2.)

### R.C.A.F. Expansion

LONDON (CP)—Canadian air authorities and British aviation leaders are believed to be weighing the creation of a formidable Canadian air force under the Empire training scheme, in which R.C.A.F. will provide more than 40 squadrons for active service in the war.

Under the new plans the Royal Canadian Air Force would retain its identity.

Comed the Rumanian disorders, even if it did not actually help incite them, is supported by the fact that the Russians probably know more about actual Nazi oil reserves than anyone else.

They are fully aware that any threat of disruption of the Rumanian oil flow to Germany probably would be of far greater concern to Berlin than Mussolini's fate in Africa or Albania.

Instigation of rioting in Rumania would be one means of holding off a German march to Italy's aid via Bulgaria or Yugoslavia. There is evidence that both those countries regard the Rumanian situation as decreasing the probabilities of any German move in their direction.

### Catania Bombed

CAIRO (AP)—Royal Air Force bombers attacked the airbase at Catania, Sicily, where German dive bombers are based, last night, and heavy explosions and fires occurred near the runway and hangars, a communique said late today.

### Big Troopship

BOSTON (AP)—The 40,000-ton French luxury liner Ile de France is being converted into a troop or supply ship in Singapore under the direction of British authorities, members of the crew of the American freighter Steel Traveler reported today.

The vessel last was heard from in Saigon, French Indo-China.

### To Search Ridge

MCHORD FIELD, Wash. (AP)—Thirteen light army bombers will be sent to the Medford airfield as soon as the weather clears to search a "very likely area" near Fort Jones for the twin-motored bomber missing for a week with its seven occupants. Flight officers said they were interested in reports about the ridge east of Medford.

### Franceschini Stays Interned

TORONTO (CP)—The Toronto Daily Star says in a newspaper story the appeal of James Franceschini, millionaire Toronto contractor held in an internment camp as an enemy alien, has been refused.

The story states Mr. Justice H. D. Hyndman placed his findings from an investigation of the case before the Department of Justice at Ottawa, which has reviewed them.

### Suspended Sentences

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Two young United States navy men who ripped a Nazi swastika flag from its staff at the German consulate here, were given suspended sentences today of 90 days in jail, and were turned over to the navy, which promised they would be "adequately dealt with."

The flag incident, staged before a throng of some 2,000 persons here last Saturday, resulted in a protest from Berlin and a statement of regret by the U.S. government.

They are Harold J. Sturtevant, 19, of Haverhill, Mass., formerly on the destroyer Craven, and Ervin Glenn Lackey, 20, of Charlotte, N.C., until recently on the destroyer Perkins. Each has about a month to serve of his enlistment.

### To Make Big Guns

OTTAWA (CP)—Production of heavy land artillery and naval guns, for which an elaborate program was announced some weeks ago, will involve capital expenditure of close to \$16,000,000 for plant equipment, it was learned this afternoon.

This financing will be carried out by Canada on the account of the United Kingdom government. Orders for heavy guns to be manufactured in Canada now approximate \$100,000,000.

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## HOTEL STRIKERS RETURN TO WORK

VANCOUVER (CP)—The month-long strike of 58 waiters and busboys at the Hotel Vancouver ended today with the return of 32 to their jobs after the hotel management had granted wage increases of two cents an hour.

Nine others who struck December 23 demanding wage increase and union recognition returned to their jobs yesterday. Seventeen others said they would seek employment elsewhere and the picket line has been withdrawn from the hotel.

William Stewart, secretary of the Hotel and Restaurant Employees' Union, said the strike was ended through negotiation between the hotel management and the union, with the Trades and Labor Council executive acting as intermediary.

The hotel had set noon today as the deadline for the strikers to return to their jobs. Most went back when the hotel offered a two-cent an hour increase from the basic rate of 31 to 33 cents to 33 and 35 cents. The offer had at first been refused by the strikers.

## CALL NEXT DRAFT

Notices to report for medical examination commenced going out today from the office of Charles G. Pennock, divisional registrar, to young men in outlying districts of the province, preparatory to calling of a fourth draft, mostly in the 25-year-old class, for compulsory military training late in February.



IT'S THE (CALIFORNIA) WEATHER—When 20 of an inch of rain fell on San Francisco in five minutes—68 in half an hour—storm drains became clogged and streets were turned into rivers and lakes. Here's a scene on famed Market Street with pedestrians, autos and street cars stalled.



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**WILLKIE DELAYED  
ON OCEAN FLIGHT**

HORTA, the Azores (AP)—Wendell L. Willkie, defeated United States presidential candidate, riding a Pan-American clipper to Horta through a gale described by the plane's captain as the worst seen here in two years, faced a possible delay of a day or more before continuing his trip to England. The clipper arrived here at 7.30 a.m. The captain said its take-off might be delayed by the storm.

En route to study war conditions in Britain, Willkie already has seen evidence of United States aid to the British.

At Darnell Island, off Hamilton, Bermuda, his eyes widened yesterday when he saw two 13-ton flying boats—bombers to be flown to Britain. Beside them he saw three famous veteran fliers—Bernie Balchen, Clyde Pangborn and Homer Berry—lazily tossing pennies.

**MEDIATION PLAN**

VICHY (AP)—The Petain government announced today it had accepted a Japanese offer of mediation in the border warfare between French Indo-China and Thailand (Siam).

The French ambassador to Tokyo has been entrusted with the arrangement of ways and means, the announcement said.

**THE WEATHER**

VICTORIA, 8 a.m. today—A moderate disturbance is centered west of Vancouver Island, while pressure remains abnormally high over Northwest Territory. The weather is moderately cold over the interior of British Columbia, where scattered snowfalls have occurred and is becoming milder on the coast. Light snowfalls are reported in the prairie provinces.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.81; temperature, max. 46, min. 35; wind, 15 miles N.E.; clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, max. 44, min. 33; wind, 2 miles N.E.; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.83; temperature, max. 37, min. 31; wind, 2 miles N.E.; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, max. 58, min. 51; wind, 10 miles S.E.; precip. 17; raining.

|                 | Max. | Min. |
|-----------------|------|------|
| Victoria        | 45   | 35   |
| Nanaimo         | 43   | 33   |
| Vancouver       | 44   | 34   |
| New Westminster | 43   | 34   |
| Prince Rupert   | 37   | 31   |
| Dawson          | 32   | 22   |
| Seattle         | 46   | 30   |
| Portland        | 46   | 30   |
| San Francisco   | 58   | 51   |
| Kamloops        | 34   | 24   |
| Prince George   | 32   | 22   |
| Kelowna         | 36   | 26   |
| Penticton       | 34   | 20   |
| Whitman         | 32   | 22   |
| Nelson          | 32   | 22   |
| Grand Forks     | 34   | 24   |
| Kelso           | 34   | 24   |
| Calgary         | 18   | -3   |
| Edmonton        | 9    | -8   |
| Prince Albert   | 9    | -8   |
| Regina          | 6    | -1   |
| Winnipeg        | 4    | -2   |
| Toronto         | 40   | 29   |
| Ottawa          | 29   | 22   |
| St. John        | 27   | 22   |
| Halifax         | 27   | 16   |

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

J. H. LePage, 1405 Douglas, Bank of Toronto Building, optometrist. Phone E1711 for appointments.

New Classes Commencing—Tap, ballet, Betty Clair's Dancing Academy. E.1694.

Reduced prices on fur coats made to measure, Gordon Furrier, 621 Scollard Building, G 4733. Specialist in fur repairing and remodeling.

Rummage and superfluous sale, February 8. Kindly help by bringing in all suitable articles for sale. Committee for Medical Aid for China, 617 Broughton Street.

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Friday, January 24, at 2.45 p.m. Speaker, Lieut.-Col. James Mess. Subject, "The Army Behind the Army." Soloist, Peggy Moore.

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**U.S. Flier Opposes Aid Bill for Britain****Lindbergh Declares for 'Negotiated Peace'**

WASHINGTON (AP)—Charles A. Lindbergh flatly asserted his belief today a combination of the United States and Great Britain could not win the war "on the present basis." He urged "what he called a negotiated peace."

The flier told the United States House of Representatives foreign affairs committee he did not believe that "anything short of war or beyond war" would win the struggle unless there was a collapse behind the lines of one side or the other.

Requested later to elaborate on this point, Col. Lindbergh said he did not believe Germany could invade Britain unless there had been a "previous collapse" behind the lines, and neither did he believe Britain could invade the German-dominated European continent—even with the United States as an ally—unless there had been a collapse in Germany.

**Sees Aid Bill  
As Step for War**

He said he believed the stand of "the American people" in favor of aiding Britain "was a mistake." He declared he was opposed to the lease lend bill for British aid because it was "a step away from democracy" and "one more step closer to war."

Entrance into any foreign war, Col. Lindbergh said, should be avoided, for regardless of what happened abroad the United States and the western hemisphere are "strong enough" to protect themselves. He advocated establishment of a string of air bases by the United States, some of them in Canada, and the creation as rapidly as possible of a total U.S. air force of about 10,000 first-line planes and an equal number of reserves, exclusive of trainers. Such a force, he said, would "insure American security."

But, he told inquiring committee members, the United States now has nowhere near this air force. It is "a mistake" to export war planes when this country has such a lack of them, he added. (A share of fighting craft, estimated at 50 to 60 per cent or more, is now going to Britain as fast as the ships are produced).

Representative John Vorhees, Republic, Ohio, asked Lindbergh whether the United States policy of "partial help" had made it an "object of contempt" in England.

Lindbergh said he thought that was "partially true," and added, "we encouraged England to declare war to a partial extent." (The U.S. army has approximately 25,000 planes of all types on hand or on order and the navy is building air arm toward a 10,000-plane goal.)

**Prefers Neither Side  
Win Present War**

Col. Lindbergh was asked by Representative Luther Johnson, Democrat, Texas, whether he had ever expressed sympathy for one side or another in the war.

He replied: "I prefer to see neither side win. I prefer a negotiated peace. A victory on either side would result in prostration of Europe of a type we've never seen."

"It would be one of the worst things that could happen."

"Are you in sympathy with England against Hitler?" Johnson asked.

"I'm in sympathy with the people—not their aims," Lindbergh replied.

Asked pointblank whether he favored continued aid to Britain, he said that was "a very difficult" question, but he expressed belief that inasmuch as the country had taken a stand on the

issue "we cannot very well justify" merely dropping that policy.

**Says Aid Adds  
To Bloodshed**

Predicted aid to Britain would "add to bloodshed" in Europe, and expressed doubt it would greatly affect the outcome.

As for a transoceanic air invasion, accompanied by the landing of troops, he argued that was "utterly impossible." Further, he said that while bombing raids from across the Atlantic could do "considerable damage on peace-time standards," in time of war the cost would be tremendous, "enemy losses would be large, and the effect on our military position negligible."

**Bases in Canada,  
Newfoundland**

He then made his reference to Canada, as follows:

"Accompanying this expansion of our air force should be the construction of aviation bases in Newfoundland, Canada, the West Indies, parts of South America, Central America, the Galapagos Islands, the Hawaiian Islands and Alaska. Secondary bases might be placed in parts of Greenland, but, in my opinion, Greenland is not of primary importance from the standpoint of aviation bases."

"It is of course essential for us to maintain defence bases in Alaska. I believe we should wage war with all of our resources if an invasion of Alaska or any other portion of America were attempted. But a sudden air invasion of this country by way of Alaska is out of the question. The conquest of Alaska would necessitate the movement of troops and supplies by ground and sea, the defeat of our own forces, and the establishment of enemy bases. Even if that could be accomplished, there is little likelihood that the wilds of Canada could be crossed and the United States

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Of R.A.F. Ignored**

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Many hundreds of them—that was as close as newsmen were allowed to get to the actual figure—were in the mass movement that arrived here yesterday. For hours, in closely-guarded groups, they trudged between ship and special train.

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**Growing Strength  
Of R.A.F. Ignored**

Observers were quick to notice that Lindbergh, who has never concealed his admiration for the Nazi air force, ignored the great and growing strength of the Royal Air Force and all that it means, in discussing air strength.

He made this assertion:

"If one studies the situation objectively, it becomes obvious there are three great centres of air strength in the world today: The United States, Germany and Japan."

"Since Oriental aviation is far behind that of western nations, one might say there are two great aviation powers: One in America and one in Europe. Personally, I do not believe it is possible for either America or Europe to invade the other successfully... unless an internal collapse precedes invasion."

When Representative John Kee, Democrat, West Virginia, asked whether the United States should not match Germany's production, Lindbergh replied: "Not unless we intend to invade other countries. Germany's program was preliminary to a major war."

After characterizing American aid to Britain as "a mistake," Lindbergh continued: "I think it

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### Fliers Get New Crest

LONDON (CP)—The Royal Air Force's Canadian squadron, whose Hurricanes carry a caricature of a doubled-up Hitler being kicked by an airman's boot, now have their own crest.

The Canadians had designed for them a picture of the great moose which hangs in Canada House against a background of the royal insignia with a border of interwoven maple leaves.

The moose picture is that of the head presented to the King and Queen in Winnipeg during the Royal tour of Canada.

At the base is the motto: "Toujours pret."

CALGARY (CP)—Completion of financing in New York for the construction of a pipeline more than 100 miles long from the large Kinsella gas field near Viking, Alta., to Red Deer through Camrose, has been announced by E. W. Bowness, Calgary, vice-president of the Canadian Western Natural Gas, Light, Heat and Power Company.

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### Oil and Munitions Plants Hit

## Duesseldorf Blasted for 21st Time

LONDON (CP)—Royal Air Force bombers struck hard at the Duesseldorf area in western Germany's industrial Ruhr Valley last night, following up fighter assaults yesterday on objectives in Nazi-occupied France.

The air ministry said the Duesseldorf raid was only of medium intensity because weather over the continent still was unfavorable, but declared it was concentrated against oil and munitions plants. It was the 21st raid directed against Duesseldorf.

### Fighter Assault In Daylight Raid

The air ministry announced the R.A.F. had ended several days of comparative inactivity caused by bad weather with a dash of fighter assault on German targets from the Channel coast to the Somme River.

Two daylight machine gun raids were loosed against the enemy yesterday, splintering lead on German aircraft at landing fields, troops at work and ground defence forces which sought to drive the British planes away.

### Motorboats Hit Off French Coast

On the first of these raids, the air ministry's news service said, "one of the pilots began the offensive by diving and firing at a

### BRITISH DRIVE OFF DAYLIGHT RAIDERS

LONDON (CP)—Two towns in East Anglia were targets for lone German air-raiders today. In one some houses were wrecked, but no casualties were reported in either. The raiders were driven off by British fighters and anti-aircraft fire.

London experienced a brief air raid alarm after a quiet night, but no bombs were dropped and no gunfire was heard.

The Air and Home Security Ministries said there was "hardly any enemy activity" during the night, although a few bombs fell in an eastern county, doing minor damage but causing no casualties.

A southwesterly wind swept the Strait of Dover and the sea was

number of small motorboats met off the French coast.

The same pilot subsequently machine gunned five Messerschmitt planes grounded at Le Touquet and then, on the way home, "met anti-aircraft fire and

chopped. Visibility was restricted by a thick mist.

### GERMANS CLAIM

BERLIN (AP)—The German high command's communique Thursday said:

"A warship operating in overseas waters has sunk additional enemy merchant ships totaling 31,000 tons. Earlier successes of more than 100,000 tons have been previously announced.

(These claims have not been substantiated by the Admiralty.)

"In the course of armed reconnaissance a combat plane sank a 3,500-ton merchant ship west of Ireland. At a harbor on the English southeast coast rail facilities were effectively bombed.

(The Air Ministry in London said British planes attacked enemy shipping Wednesday.)

"Last night individual planes attacked various war vital objectives on the British east coast."

stopped long enough to send all his remaining ammunition splattering among the guns' crews."

Of yesterday's raids a communique said: "Our fighters were not engaged by the enemy and all of them returned safely."

### Germans Claim Only 1 Killed

BERLIN (AP)—The German news and propaganda agency, DNB, reported today that British planes dropped "a small number" of bombs in western Germany last night, causing "minor damage to private property" and "small fires."

A communique from the high command said:

"The enemy dropped a few incendiaries and explosives in western Germany yesterday evening. No war essential targets were hit. There was slight property damage and one civilian was killed and three others slightly injured.

"Our chasers downed two enemy planes yesterday, and one was downed by naval artillery. One of our own planes is missing."

country in the world, apparently was winning a battle against pneumonia today.

The 78-year-old dry crusader, who was here with his wife visiting a stepdaughter, entered a hospital Sunday suffering a severe cold which developed into pneumonia.

He earned the nickname "Pussyfoot" during a colorful career battling bootleggers in Oklahoma and the Indian Territory as a chief special officer of the federal Indian Service.

### More Papers Banned

OTTAWA (CP)—Six additional publications have been added to the long list of books, magazines and newspapers banned from Canada under the Defence of Canada Regulations, according to an announcement from the customs division of the Department of National Revenue.

The publications are: The Occult Digest, a magazine published at Chicago; He Maketh Wars to Cease and The Thrice Doubled Sword, pamphlets published at Seattle; The Birth of a New Europe, a Japanese language book published at Tokyo; Rikugun Gaho (army pictorial), a Japanese language magazine published in Japan, and Curentul (current) a newspaper in the Rumanian language published at Bucharest.

### People in the News

#### Will Fight Anywhere

COL. WILLARD T. CHEVALIER, New York publisher, expressed belief in Montreal the United States would "send armies anywhere in the world where it is necessary to defend democracy."

"Two million are being armed in the United States and appropriations are being asked to arm two million more. The story in Washington today is that this army is not necessarily going to be Americanized, that is, to be used in the United States alone."

He said the feeling in the United States now was "vastly different" to 1917. At that time, he said, "people slowly turned in their sympathies. Today there is nothing of the uncertainty that characterized the 1917 feeling—today we are not afraid to 'stick our necks out.'"

#### England Will Win

SENATOR G. W. NORRIS in Washington voiced confidence Britain "can whip Hitler."

"I don't think we are going to get into this war," the 79-year-old Nebraska senator said. "The dictator nations don't want us in. I think we can go a long way toward helping Britain without getting in."

Norris is the only living senator who voted against United States participation in the last war.

"The more aid we can give England, especially in bombing planes, the less chance there is of us actually getting in," he said. "I want to keep this country out of war, but the choice will not be ours."

He said that the person "most anxious to keep the United States out of war now is Hitler," adding, "he can't win if we get in, and nobody knows that better than Hitler."

#### Impotent Leaders Blamed

MAJOR F. M. KINGON of Victoria, in a speech to a Seattle civic club, blamed the fall of France to impotent leaders and added "the United States and Britain are fortunate in having outstanding and inspired leadership."

He described President Roosevelt's inaugural address as "one of the greatest messages of all times" and lauded Wendell

Willkie, defeated Republican presidential candidate, for his support of the President.

#### 'State War Aims'

HENRY R. LUCE, editor of the Life and Fortune magazines, called upon the United States to "state its war aims for the entire world to see," and "accept wholeheartedly our duty and our opportunity as the world's most powerful and vital nation."

He said the United States already was a participant in the war and urged "an end to deceit and self-deceit" on the question of participation.

"If Hitler has not already every right to declare war on us he will very soon have that right," added Luce. "Not that Hitler bothers about right and wrong—the irony is that Hitler knows it and most of the American people don't."

#### Meighen Doubtful

SENATOR ARTHUR MEIGHEN in Toronto disputed claims that "universal Socialism" would be an aftermath of the war.

"We hear so often that we are at a juncture of world history, that a new era is sure to dawn, that there is to be a veering of our economic system, a sharp turn taken by humanity," he said. "What is this new world order? If the dictators win, the answer is obvious. But if, as we all hope and trust and pray, the democracies are successful, there is considerable doubt as to the distinguishing features of the new day, and as to the nature of the curve that the economic march of man may take."

"If property, profit, the reward of toil, the fundamental instinct of the human race to gain, to acquire, to have to reach somewhere, is taken away, then I for one do not feel we have anything worth fighting for."

## Briton, 2 Japs Shot in Shanghai

SHANGHAI (AP)—W. J. Keswick, British chairman of the Shanghai Municipal Council, and two Japanese council officials were slightly wounded today in full view of a meeting of 3,000 persons in a shooting precipitated by Japanese disapproval of a council vote.

Y. Hayashi, 60-year-old chairman of the Association of Japanese Street Unions, was taken into custody by Japanese consular police. Spectators claimed he was seen to jump to the platform with a pistol in his hand. Japanese embassy officials said they were not prepared to admit Hayashi was the man who wounded the three, but said he was "detained as a suspect."

Informally they expressed regret for the attack on Keswick. The meeting, an emergency session on taxation, was held at the Shanghai racecourse. Police with sub-machine guns, rifles and pistols intervened to end disorder which accompanied the shooting.

#### SAVED BY COAT

Doctors said the fact that Keswick was wearing a heavy coat saved his life. He suffered two wounds in his back.

J. W. Carney, a Standard Oil official and American member of the council, was hit on the head by a flying board in the disorder which followed the shooting.

Just before the shooting, the meeting had voted down a resolution by Hayashi opposing the council's recommendation for a

40 per cent increase in municipal taxes. The vote was followed by a demonstration among Japanese who apparently desired a second vote.

Japanese in the crowd then rushed the platform, hurling chairs and other objects at other members of the council until police dispersed them.

Keswick, 35, is Shanghai manager of Jardine, Matheson and Company and a member of a family prominent in British trade in the Orient for half a century. His firm is one of the largest foreign concerns in China.

When the ratemakers voted down the Hayashi resolution, the Japanese began shouting and pushing forward. Apparently demanding that Poul Scheel, Danish consul general, who was presiding, take a new vote. During the clamor, spectators said, Hayashi mounted the platform.

Three shots were heard. Two struck Keswick. The third apparently hit both the wounded Japanese, I. Okamoto, member of the council, and S. Ikeda, a council secretary.

No action was taken on the tax recommendation.

### Pussyfoot Johnson Fighting Pneumonia

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### Destroyers on Duty

WASHINGTON (AP)—With one possible exception, according to Navy Secretary Frank Knox, all of the 50 destroyers traded to Great Britain for Atlantic naval bases are already "on the other side."

The possible exception, he told a press conference, was a warship which was damaged in collision after it had been turned over to the British, and even this one "may be over there now."

In answer to a question, Knox said it was untrue the British were asking for American cruisers of the Wichita type—9,200 tons—and added that "as a matter of fact they are not asking for any of our ships," apparently referring to warships.

### Execution in Ontario

BRAMPTON, Ont. (CP)—Sheriff F. S. Hutchinson of Peel County jail said today Gordon Ross Matthews confessed to the murder of his wife before he was hanged this morning.

Matthews, 22, convicted of beating his wife and throwing her body in a lake last July, was executed at 1:05 a.m.

### URGE INCREASE IN FARM INCOME

TORONTO (CP)—The Canadian Federation of Agriculture, in a manifesto prepared by its directors and approved at its annual meeting here, calls for "an immediate and substantial increase of farm income in relation to the national income," and "a properly co-ordinated national policy for agriculture, including marketing as well as production."

To achieve these ends the C.F.A. proposes:

1. That the government adopted measures "to establish a proper relationship between the prices of agricultural commodities and the goods and services the farmer must purchase." Otherwise, the manifesto declares, the efficiency of agricultural production could easily decline and seriously hamper the war effort.

2. That immediate steps be taken to develop a national wartime program for agriculture, with a greater degree of consultation between governmental authorities and representatives of organized agriculture.

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### Less Meat for Troops

OTTAWA (CP)—Canadian troops now serving in the United Kingdom will be affected to the same degree as other British troops by the new War Office order reducing the daily ration of meat, bread and flour.

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## Wavell Marches On

CRITICAL DEVELOPMENTS IN THE Mediterranean were listed among the "well-defined phases" outlined at Monday's meeting between Hitler and Mussolini. How the proceedings in this theatre of the conflict were dealt with we were not told—whether past, present or future developments were surveyed, considered or predicted. At least one new one has gone down on the totalitarian list of "phases." General Sir Archibald Wavell has "collected" the important strategic Italian base of Tobruk; he has added this victory to those scored at Sidi Barrani and Bardia, together with another large batch of prisoners and valuable war material. The next "port of call" will be Derna, approximately 90 miles westward, with Benghazi, about 150 miles nearer the setting sun, as the next big objective. In the eastern sector, moreover, Italian forces which had hoped to play a part in a pincer movement to squeeze the British armies of the Nile are "advancing" toward the Red Sea and the Indian Ocean.

In other words, Marshal Graziani's plan of campaign in Africa is in complete reverse, as is the original Italian invasion of Greece, with the personnel of his armies and their equipment reduced by nearly half the strength they boasted less than two months ago. Notwithstanding the wretched defeats administered to Il Duce's desert fighters by the Empire army, the Royal Air Force and the Royal Navy, with the most perfect collaboration in military history, it would be foolish to expect General Wavell will be able to write "finis" to this critical development in the Mediterranean—for Italy—without overcoming stubborn resistance as the Fascist generalissimo prepares for his final stand. But by the time the news of Tobruk penetrates to Bomba and Derna, the morale of the troops waiting their fate at Benghazi will probably be sagging seriously. In any case, no matter what help Il Duce may yet obtain from his "boss" in Berlin, it will not be long before the Italian people discover that the promise of victory "from the Alps to the Suez Canal" can be put with the rest of Mussolini's propaganda achievements.

## Alternative Is 'Drift'

ONE OF THE MOST CONCISE ANALYSES of the Siros report is contained in the latest monthly letter published by the Bank of Nova Scotia. While arguing that the plan proposed might not provide a permanent solution to the problem of Dominion-provincial relations, the author of the digest of the main recommendations nevertheless contends that their adoption "would certainly facilitate the program of war finance." In addition, "it would also place us in a much better position to meet problems of post-war readjustments, difficult as they may be." The Bank's brief summing up reads:

"No alternative plan which begins to meet the fundamental problems at issue has been devised. The alternative, indeed, appears to be—drift. Unquestionably, there are many details and side issues which can be argued interminably, but they should not be permitted to cloud the major questions at stake. To conclude in the words of the Report, 'it is the hope of the commission that the gravity of the hour will dispose people in all regions of Canada to take serious thought of their country's welfare and to look at the broad lines of the recommendations, keeping matters of detail in rational perspective.'"

Drift is an ominous word at any time; its implication at this stage in the nation's history should be understood by everybody. On the one hand, the Canadian people, by every means by which they can be reached and appealed to, are being exhorted to buy war savings certificates to make sure the Dominion's contribution toward the defeat of totalitarianism shall be complete; on the other, there is the spectacle of three Canadian Premiers putting provincialism before national collaboration.

## Straws in the Wind

AFTER ITS OPERATION FOR MORE than a year, as a protest against Russia's brutal invasion of Finland, the "moral embargo" which the United States imposed on the export of airplanes and airplane equipment to the Soviet government has now been removed by the administration at Washington. What intrinsic value Moscow will derive from this significant decision by the neighboring republic is not immediately apparent. All available output of aeronautical war material is hypothesized for some time to come to satisfy the demands of the huge American defence program and to complete large orders from Britain. But in view of the fact that Russian ambassador Constantine Umanovsky has had numerous discussions with Mr. Sumner Welles, United States Under-Secretary of State, on this and other matters pertaining to the relations between the two countries, the rescinding of the restriction in question would appear to furnish its own commentary. Not that official Washington is now any more enamored of the system of government practiced by Moscow than when President Roosevelt called on Americans to refuse to sell to nations guilty of the "bombing and machine-

gunning of civilian populations from the air." On the other hand, however, the newly-developed and developing foreign policy of the United States would take on added force if more friendly association between Washington and Moscow were definitely established. Mr. Stalin's political philosophy is just as sensitive to a "moral" stigma as to military interference—the difference in application notwithstanding.

How closely this latest move by the United States is associated with British negotiations for an economic agreement with Russia, or with the growing verbally-belligerent attitude of Tokyo towards Washington is, of course, a matter for conjecture. It may be better defined if it shall be followed by a more liberal application of our neighbor's export license system as it affects machine tools and other materials which Russia is seeking to purchase in the United States, materials which at a not distant date may be spared as American industrial expansion permits. Regarded from an essentially practical standpoint, the "manoeuvre" may be intended as part of the plan to weaken still further Japan's partnership in the axis plans for a new world order. In any event, an improvement in the relations between London and Moscow, and between Washington and Moscow, must be regarded as an important factor in the battle against the totalitarianism of Berlin and Rome, as well as in such possible developments as may unfold in the Pacific realm.

Washington's action, moreover, adds point to part of an extract from the Toronto Globe and Mail which we reprinted on this page yesterday. Our contemporary was referring to former ambassador Kennedy's mortal fear of Stalinism; the eastern newspaper put it this way: "Is fear of Russia forever to blind the democratic people to reality? We can see clearly enough now that, had the western European democracies not been mesmerized by the devil of Communism, they would never have permitted the even more cunning and voracious devil of Imperialistic Nazism to grow and flourish." We argued dozens of times in these columns during the spring of 1939 that the British Foreign Office lacked vision when, instead of sending an official to Moscow whom the Russian government regarded—not without cause—as little better than a clerk, it failed to delegate to a responsible minister the job of bringing the Soviet Union into the anti-Hitler bloc. That is an old story; but those who preferred to try reasoning with the Nazi chief and his gang got the shock of their lives when the famous Russo-German pact of August, 1939, was presented to the world as a fait accompli. In the light of recent events, however, Stalin's opportunism may yet be influenced in democracy's favor in some form.

## Famous Names Missing

THE THEATRE EXHIBITORS' ANNUAL poll conducted by the trade publication, Motion Picture Herald, places the 10 biggest box-office attractions during 1940 in this order: Mickey Rooney, Spencer Tracy, Clark Gable, Gene Autry, Tyrone Power, James Cagney, Bing Crosby, Wallace Beery, Bette Davis and Judy Garland. After the favored 10 came these 15: James Stewart, Deanna Durbin, Alice Faye, Errol Flynn, Myrna Loy, Dorothy Lamour, Cary Grant, Bob Hope, Henry Fonda, Gary Cooper, Don Ameche, Jack Benny, Ginger Rogers, Ann Sheridan and William Powell.

Missing from the top 25 are such illustrious names as Greta Garbo, Paul Muni, Norma Shearer, Hedy LaMarr, Claudette Colbert, Vivian Leigh, Shirley Temple, Joan Crawford, Lionel Barrymore, Edward G. Robinson, Charles Boyer and—of all things—Robert Taylor. It may not be so much an indication that they are slipping artistically as that they have made fewer pictures than in former years. On the other hand, perhaps they did not make as many pictures because of their falling box-office appeal. However, any list of the top 10 without the names of Crawford, Temple, Colbert, Shearer and Taylor has a strange and unfamiliar look.

Fame continues fleeting. New faces, new stars, new pulling power at the ticket window is the year-by-year story. In this world of change, the only constant is our desire for change.

## THIS SURGING WAVE OF THE FUTURE

From Today's New York Times  
(The "wave of the future," the phrase frequently used by admirers of the totalitarian system in conjunction with the adjectives "surging" and "dynamic," received this editorial mention in the New York Times today.)

Anne Morrow Lindbergh has published a book titled "The Wave of the Future" and President Roosevelt in his inaugural address used the phrase in saying that among democracy's opponents are "men who believe tyranny and slavery have become the surging wave of the future."

The fall of Tobruk yesterday again fixes attention on the peculiar behavior of Italy's portion of that "surging wave of the future" of which President Roosevelt spoke in his inaugural address. This alleged wave began its reputed surging in Italy on October 29, 1922, when King Victor Emmanuel sent for Benito Mussolini to form a cabinet and the future "marched" into Rome in a first class railway carriage. It has therefore been surging in Italy for nearly 18½ years. No one in Italy under the age of 21 remembers anything but Fascism. The masses of Mussolini soldiers, who have been fighting in Albania and in Africa, have been educated in Fascism from infancy. If there is a "wave" they have been riding it.

The result is plain to read. The "wave" in Albania was turned back by the Greeks. Fascism has failed in Egypt and Libya, is weakening in Ethiopia and Eritrea. The "wave" in short, has everywhere wavered—and retreated.

Is this the "future"? Let us hope so. But it certainly is not future for the slave state as it has ridden in Italy since 1922.

## Elmore Philpott

### CAN FREEDOM SURVIVE?

IN BRITAIN, birthplace and citadel of freedom in the modern world, the government has taken new steps which must force all thoughtful people to ponder the whole question of the survival of freedom. We see this paradox developing before our very eyes: That to defeat the menace of Hitler totalitarianism, Britain herself is being forced to do some of the things most hateful in the system of Hitlerism.

Under the new law every man and woman in the nation will be compelled to perform some work considered advantageous to the state. The pay, place of work, hours of work, and general conditions will be decided, in the last analysis, by civil servants. Thus Britain has taken a gigantic stride towards the set-up long in force in Russia under the Soviet, and in the Fascist countries under Hitler and Mussolini. In a real positive sense the government of Britain, backed by an overwhelming majority in Parliament, has voluntarily surrendered some things long cited as most precious by some proponents of modern democracy and the modern economic system.

Simultaneously, the government has moved to deprive the organized Communist Party of most of its former freedom. The British Daily Worker has been suppressed. So has "The Week," famous news letter written by Claud Cockburn, which in the years of appeasement undoubtedly scored more genuine news scoops than any publication in the whole world.

These actions raise, in acute form, the whole question of reconciling preservation of rights and liberties of the individual and group with the preservation of the existence of the nation itself.

### COMMUNISTS ASKED FOR IT

NO ONE WHO FACES the facts can waste any sympathy on the organized Communist Party in Great Britain, Canada or anywhere else. This group, organized as an iron-clad dictatorship from Moscow, and in the last analysis always run from there, has done more than any other single agency in the whole world to undermine what the Communists themselves call petty-bourgeois privileges, and what the rest of the world calls civil liberties. It is sometimes suggested that Stalin's present line—economic support of Hitler while sabotaging the war effort in all democratic countries—is novel. There is no factual basis for that view. The Communists did not hesitate to cast their votes in Germany with their supposed arch-enemies, the Nazis, for the purpose of overthrowing democratic government in Prussia. Communist votes helped create the police dictatorship in Prussia, without which Hitler never could have come to power.

According to the Communist program, there is no reality in any so-called democratic liberty in any event. They admit that when Communism comes to power there will be no shred of pretence of liberty during the period of the dictatorship of the proletariat. In point of plain fact, there has been a progressive decrease and not increase of civil liberties in the passing years in the Soviet Union. In the long run the Communists have got to make up their minds whether they are going to eat their cake or keep it. If they really want freedom to organize, freedom to speak, freedom to publish in democratic countries they have to prove that those "freedoms" are not to be used temporarily by the minority to organize a change which will permanently deprive everybody of them.

### NOW AND ALWAYS

THE PRINCIPLE that every single individual in the state, female as well as male, should do some work useful to the state is not a menace but the best and most basic of all possible modern reforms. In this day and generation we have heard advocated 57 varieties of economic plans. It seems to me that the average individual is hopelessly confused by the intricate mechanics of them. But there are some simple facts which must be apparent to everyone who stops to think.

Every economic system, down at bedrock, is based on give-and-take. The individual must give something. In the way of goods or services, to the community as a whole. In return the community must allot to the individual a share of the total goods and services possessed by the community.

Modern democracy has got deeper and deeper into economic bogs. Neither the idle rich nor the idle poor were asked or allowed to contribute their share to the national production. There can be no real national economic health till that is changed forever.

### OLD VICTORIA MEMORY

Digby, in Bridge River News  
In 1893 I was standing in the vestibule of the Angel Hotel, Victoria. A middle-aged man came in and asked for some one at the hotel. While waiting he looked around him and we exchanged glances. When he went away a man present said, "What do you think of that man?"

Said I: "I have never seen a more impudent-looking rascal in my life."

"Why, he is the Attorney-General of British Columbia and Premier also," was the reply. "His name is Theodore Davis."

A heart counsellor advises against marrying the girl who is late for dates. Her sister, who arrives 10 minutes ahead of time and glares, is no bargain.

### Parallel Thoughts

For such as be blessed of Him shall inherit the earth; and they that be cursed of Him shall be cut off.—Psalms 37:22.

God does not require us to live on credit; He pays us what we earn as we earn it, good or evil, heaven or hell, according to our choice.—Chas. Midway.

### DISCOVERED!

From Windsor Star  
African bongo in the Bronx zoo is said to have "large ears and melting eyes." Can't fool us: That's Eddie Cantor.

### POLICE GRAFT

From Ottawa Citizen  
In Montreal last year they "fixed" 79,000 parking tickets, which is probably more fixing than was done by the city's garage mechanics.

## Against His Better Judgment

From Toronto Star

In all his years of public service, Mr. Mackenzie King has made very few political mistakes—mistakes, that is, of considered policy as distinct from the occasional use of unfortunate phraseology by which all statesmen are at times embarrassed. It is difficult, indeed, to think of any occasion on which he has been mistaken on a major issue, as he was when he threw the Siros report into the wartime arena with government support. It was done, in fact, against his own better judgment. His address at the opening of the Dominion-provincial conference indicated that his heart was not in his task, and at the close of the conference he lifted the veil on what had taken place: "When my colleagues and I considered the calling of this conference there was among us a great diversity of view as to the wisdom of having such a gathering at this time. I, for one, took the view that it was very doubtful whether it would be wise to have a conference in wartime."

But Mr. Isley, his finance minister, persuaded him. A finance minister naturally wants the least possible competition in the field of taxation, and the Siros report would have had an agreeable effect along those lines. Mr. Isley told the cabinet that the government would be in a poor position if, knowing what it does of coming financial needs, it did not invite the provinces to confer. And, comments Mr. King:

"You know very well what would have been said later on if, after the minister of finance finds it necessary to introduce certain measures which may seem to cut into the revenues of the provinces and to create embarrassments as a consequence, we had said nothing to you in advance about the situation which we were facing."

### WAR AND BIOLOGY

Bruce Bliven in New Republic

An interesting and long-continued dispute has been in progress as to the biological effects of war. Some experts believe that before the invention of gunpowder it was the strongest and best warriors who survived; the battle to return home and become the fathers of the next generation. But all men are equal before the trigger; and it is argued that since modern weapons were invented, soldiers have been killed off without reference to their individual courage or vigor. Other scientists take an opposite view. They say that since the coming of gunpowder it has been possible to use as soldiers men who are physically and morally inferior to those of an earlier day, and that eugenically the result has been that no means been bad. They point also to the fact that in the days when men fought hand to hand it was often the custom to kill every member of a defeated army, so that the strength and intelligence of the individual did not enable him to survive unless he was on the winning side. At any rate, the experts believe that the human being today is about the same as he has been for the past few thousand years. A long and exhausting war may drag down the level of the population for a generation or two, but mankind shows a wonderful power of recuperation. Certainly there is no evidence that the human stock has degenerated, as might have been expected in view of the almost continuous wars of modern times.

### A REFORMED CHARACTER

From Peterborough Examiner  
Steel plates taken from the Graf Spee have been used to make repairs to a British freighter. Showing that a steel plate might start out on a most mistaken course in youth and in maturity turn about to do something quite worth while.

### RABBIT BURNS

All idle tongues are prone to chatter And honest names will meet the chatter. But some doze lassie wears a sarter. An' shows it whiles. They see in this some wae'f' matter And sab their wiles.

What tho' oor Rabble lo'd the lassies And tosted them in brimmin' glasses, The world ower a' men are aases. Whaur bright eyes plead, He said Nature seldom fashies It could and deid.

The Pow'r that fling tae man his fare Dish out a spice o' dee or dare, And aft-times set a ready snare For poor and rich. The man that tae life's twisted stair Kens weel the ditch.

His inspired muse oor hearts enthral, Maist modern rhymes are but a stail; Like maddened white wi' driven snail. The scour is hid, But when the soul's wind blows a thaw Up comes the mid.

He was the friend o' a' distressed, Through him the needy poor were blessed The fire that burnt within his breast Set men aflame. And lowly herd tae knightly crest Bow'd tae his name.

A lowly ploughman, wi' his raw He bore the brunt o' sun and snaw; Ne lairdly name was his tae draw, Just common clay. But he was master o' them a' In sang or lay.

As lang as Scotland's sons are sung, As lang as Scotia's sons are sung, O'er the earth, their Doric tongue Will play its part. And Rabble, throned on highest rung, Will stay their heart.

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### CENTRALIZING TAXATION

That view having prevailed, the conference was called; called for the consideration of a report which provided for the centralization of the taxing power at Ottawa. At first thought such a provision may seem not unattractive. But the fact is that in any democracy, and especially in a democracy of Canada's size, it is best to keep at least a considerable share of the taxing power as close home as possible; close, that is, to the people who have to pay the taxes. That is the justification of provincial and municipal taxation.

The Siros report proposed not only a transfer of taxing power, but a transfer of provincial debts. The object in that was to save Saskatchewan and Manitoba from possible future default. The Dominion has plenty of power to save them whenever necessary. Emergency grants, applicable where, when and if needed, will achieve that end just as surely as if they were called national adjustment grants and applied to various provinces on an "irreducible scale," as the Siros report recommended. Emergency grants can be voted in future, as they have been in the past, without the setting up of any elaborate and expensive organization.

The Star's first approach to the Siros report was based on the assumption that the rich central province of Ontario, whose industries have a market in the west which depends upon the west's prosperity, should be willing to assist the prairie provinces. The more the report was examined, however, the clearer it became that the Siros report contemplated the giving of that assistance in a manner both unjust and unjustified. Ontario will pay her proportionately large share of any emergency grants to the west which the federal government may have to provide.

### OILFIELD

From B.C. Financial News

Proving of an important new oilfield in Alberta—and there is every indication this is being done at Steepleville—would be one of the greatest single contributions western Canada could make in 1941 toward the national war program. For conserving foreign exchange federal authorities now propose to ration gasoline. Announcement that the oil controller has ordered Turner Valley wells back to a monthly basis of 25,000 barrels point to an intention to make maximum use of Canada's own oil resources. Early reports of the Standard Oil Company's successful test in the Steepleville area were taken with reserve due to past disappointments in this field.

The well has been on production since December 30 and latest word is that after its first acid treatment it flowed at the rate of 883 barrels daily. This flow has been obtained at 3,300 feet, considerably less than half the depth of the producing horizon in the crude area of Turner Valley.

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## SPENCER FOODS

| FRIDAY VALUES                     |     |  |
|-----------------------------------|-----|--|
| Large Eggs<br>Grade A, doz        | 27c |  |
| Mild Cheese<br>lb.                | 20c |  |
| Dry Salt Pork<br>Per lb.          | 16c |  |
| Boiled Ham<br>Sliced, 1/2 lb.     | 23c |  |
| Cottage Cheese<br>Per lb.         | 10c |  |
| Side Bacon<br>Sliced, 1/2 lb.     | 15c |  |
| Bologna<br>Sliced, 1/2 lb.        | 7c  |  |
| Pure Lard<br>Per lb.              | 6c  |  |
| Shortening<br>Pride, 1/2 lb.      | 11c |  |
| Hunter's Cheese<br>1/2 lb.        | 14c |  |
| Cottage Rolls<br>Tenderized, lb.  | 27c |  |
| Picnics, Smoked<br>Shoulders, lb. | 18c |  |

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|--|-----|--|
| Dressed Rabbits<br>Each,<br>at.....    | 25c |  |
| Roasting Chicken<br>Per<br>lb.....     | 25c |  |
| Spare Ribs<br>Per<br>lb.....           | 14c |  |
| Legs Pork<br>Per<br>lb.....            | 18c |  |
| Pork Steak<br>Per<br>lb.....           | 18c |  |
| Shoulder Mutton<br>Per<br>lb.....      | 12c |  |
| Stew Beef<br>2 lbs.                    | 32c |  |
| Steak, Kidney<br>Per<br>lb.....        | 16c |  |
| Legs Mutton<br>Per<br>lb.....          | 20c |  |
| Blade Roasts<br>Per<br>lb.....         | 17c |  |
| Cross Rib Roasts<br>Per<br>lb.....     | 19c |  |
| Boiling Beef<br>Per<br>lb.....         | 10c |  |
| Veal Roasts<br>Boneless,<br>lb.....    | 20c |  |
| Oxford Sausage<br>Per<br>lb.....       | 11c |  |
| Shoulder Steak<br>Per<br>lb.....       | 17c |  |

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### TORONTO HAS ONE GOOD RECORD

From Toronto Star

Good advertising for the city this year is Toronto's diphtheria record. The fact that there was not a single case of diphtheria in 1940 is hailed as a new world's record for a city of this size.

This success is due to a combination of factors: the continuous efforts over the past 10 years, on the part of the health department, periodic anti-diphtheria publicity campaigns, and the co-operation of the public. The public health nursing division deserves much of the credit for this achievement. The system here is that every new-born child is visited by the district nurse, who urges the mother then and on subsequent occasions to have the child immunized at the age of six months. It is estimated that over 80 per cent of the parents have responded.

The 24 well-baby clinics throughout the city are also toxoid centres where children under school age are immunized against diphtheria, and about 80 per cent of the school population have also received toxoid injections.

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### OR THE WAYFARER IN HOTEL LIFE

From Milwaukee Journal

Unable to produce coins fast enough to meet the demand, the Philadelphia mint is in the position of the father of nine in an amusement park.

## HOW TO BE A BOY AGAIN!

At 83 I'm a youngster in spirit, heart and ambition. I'm young because I obey the laws of Nature; others do not. It is hard to realize that I owe my youthfulness to foods and exercise, but I do. Yet I would not dare exercise as vigorously as I do at my age on conventional foods.

I gave up most of the foods you eat some 30 years ago. My diet is based on a free use of my three natural whole-grain cereals . . . Dr. Jackson Meal (formerly Roman Meal) Bekus-Puddy



## School Board Surplus \$9,253

Having finished last year with a surplus of \$9,253.80, the city school board will start work in committee next week to draft its estimates for 1941.

The annual 1940 statement was presented to the board at its meeting last night by Trustee R.

H. Green, new finance committee chairman. It showed gross expenditure estimates last year to be \$509,183.20, a figure \$5,895.51 above the actual expenditures which amounted to \$503,287.69. Revenues in 1940 was \$3,341.13 above the estimate, the figure of \$111,323.50 being collected against the estimate of \$107,928.37.

A contributing factor to the favorable financial statement was an increase in Victoria College fees which amounted to \$22,135.96 against an estimate of \$20,000. Night schools exceeded their esti-

mated expenditures by about \$500 but more than picked up the slack with an increase from \$5,200 to \$6,107 in fee collections.

Gross teachers' salaries and supplies were less than anticipated, school plant operation cost slightly more than the estimate, but maintenance of the plant was below the figure budgeted. Health promotion was within \$20 of the fund earmarked for that purpose. December accounts amounting to \$15,511.34 were approved by the board as it authorized payment of bills winding up 1940 business.



**POLICYHOLDERS PROTECTED**—A. N. Mitchell, left, president, and S. C. McEwen, general manager of the Canada Life Assurance Company, whose ninety-fourth annual report has just been presented. In reviewing the progress of the past year it was stated that "never since the company was established have its policyholders been more adequately protected."



### School Board Briefs

Increased attendance at Oaklands School has necessitated the opening of a new division and the employment of a substitute teacher, Trustee Mrs. A. S. Christie, chairman of the education committee, reported to the City School Board last night. The board approved the appointment recommended by the committee.

Authority was given the education committee to purchase a combination radio gramophone at

a price not exceeding \$25 to meet needs of the music department.

Appointment of E. L. Churchill to conduct a new class in matriculation subjects at the night school was announced by the same committee which also found approval for a move to assist the committee on the Revival of Indian Tribal Arts in British Columbia by permitting it free use of a schoolroom for the display of samples of Indian work.

The board endorsed Trustee Christie's suggestion to permit a poster contest in city schools advertising war stamps. A total of \$100 in stamps will be distributed in prizes among the elementary grades of Greater Victoria.

This year's extra contribution towards teachers' salaries from the provincial government as a forerunner of adjustments under the pension scheme will amount to \$88.50 per teacher, the board was informed. The funds will be paid in May on the basis of the number of teachers employed in March.

Trustee F. G. Mulliner, chairman of the board, opened the meeting last night with the tap of a new gavel, a present from the Victoria High School boys' technical class given to the board chairman at a night school function this week.

A request from the Oaklands P.T.A. for bicycle racks to protect the machines of 175 students who ride to school was referred to the building and grounds committee for action.

Progress reports on improvements to Victoria High School, where corridors, stairways, restrooms, lockers, desks and the gym floor are being or have been reconditioned and where new lighting work has been completed in the art room, were given by Trustee J. S. McMillan, chairman of the building and grounds committee. The trustee stated the new covered entrance to the stage had been completed at the Fernwood building and that the usual minor repairs were being carried out in the College and elementary schools. The committee also found support for a recommendation calling for tenders for white lead, paint and other supplies without delay.

### 5,000 MORE CARS

There were 4,966 more passenger cars driven by British Columbians last year than there were in 1939, according to the annual report issued from the Motor Vehicle Branch of the British Columbia Police.

In 1940 there were 99,876 passenger car licenses issued in the province as compared with 94,910 the year previous.

Licenses issued for commercial motor vehicles last year totaled 23,782, easily 800 more than in 1939, when 22,982 licenses were issued.

The report shows where a total of 123,658 commercial and passenger vehicles were operated by British Columbians last year, while in 1939 there were 117,892 licenses granted, a jump of 4,766.

Licenses were issued to 2,221 motorcyclists last year, compared to 1,932 in 1939. Trailer licenses went to 3,710 persons, 189 more than were issued in 1939.

There were 1,292 more chauffeurs of all classes than the year before, 13,017 licenses being granted in 1940, 11,725 in 1939.

Arthur Hardy, 18, of 636 Belton Avenue, a cyclist, sustained minor facial cuts yesterday afternoon when he was knocked down by a car driven by Miss M. Richards, 445 Cook Street, on Douglas Street, near Caledonia Avenue. Miss Richards was backing her car from the curb when the collision occurred.

## 25 Years Ago

January 23, 1916  
Sub-Lieut. Kenneth Saunders of Victoria is now in England completing his training as an aviator in the Royal Naval Air Service. He obtained his certificate at Dayton, Ohio.

Lieut. A. C. Sutton of the Canadian overseas force, who has been gazetted to the 67th Western Scots, and who was formerly a member of the Victoria Police Department, arrived in the city this morning.

Mrs. Ridgard of 728 Hillside Avenue, received news a few days ago that her son, Pte. James Stevenson of the 7th Scottish Rifles, has been seriously wounded while overseas.

Victoria lost one of its pioneer residents in the death yesterday of Mrs. Ellen Lawrence, who passed away at the family residence, 1028 View Street, following an attack of influenza.

There are about 2,000 species of snakes in the world.

## SEND MORE MONEY TO MAYOR'S FUND

Within the next few days another \$1,000 will be forwarded by the city to Britain for the Lord Mayor's Fund to assist war sufferers.

That amount will raise the total collected and sent from Victoria since the campaign opened last October to approximately \$26,000 and will be followed by supplementary cheques for funds to be turned over by the Victoria Rotary Club from its diamond brooch competition.

In addition to the cheques already sent hundreds of dollars have also been forwarded in pound notes and cheques drawn personally in sterling by individual donors.

Collections for the fund will continue indefinitely, it was stated at the City Hall. Several who have made contributions are sending money to the city in monthly installments both from local organizations and from persons outside Victoria.

## New Oil Prospects

EDMONTON (CP)—Discovery of oil in a new area through the strike at the Princess well at Steveston, 130 miles east of Calgary, is of importance to this province, Hon. N. E. Tanner, Minister of Lands and Mines, said on his return here from Ottawa after attending the Dominion provincial conference.

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| Spencer's Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin | 39c    | Pure Maple Sugar—1-lb. block  | 18c    | Cubs, per pkt.  | 11c | Scroggie's Health Meal, all kinds, sack    | 25c |
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| Wild Rose Pastry Flour—10-lb. sack    | 47c    | 49-lb. sack   | \$3.00 | Monarch Pastry Flour—10-lb. cotton sack                       | 47c | 5-lb. sack                                 | 21c |
| 7-lb. paper sack                      | 33c    | Spencer Fresh-ground Coffee—1-lb. Cellophane bag                                      | 35c    | 7-lb. paper sack  | 32c | Anna Lee Scott's Cake Flour, pkt.          | 27c |
| Royal City Marmalade, 4-lb. tin       | 39c    |   |        | Quaker Puffed Wheat—3 pkts.                                   | 25c | Swans Down Cake Flour, pkt.                | 25c |
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| Nabob Chicken Huddle, tin           | 14c | Breakfast Blend Tea, lb.        | 55c    | Fetherlite Pancake Flour, pkt.      | 11c | Orange Juice, 13-oz. tin      | 14c       |
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| Aylmer Boneless Chicken, 7-oz. tin  | 25c | Rich Family Tea, lb.            | 65c    | B & K Dog Mash, 5-lb. sack          | 25c | 20-oz. tin                    | 3 for 25c |
| Helmet Corned Beef, per tin         | 16c | Fresh-roasted Coffee, lb.       | 35c    | Ormond's Dog Biscuits, lb.          | 11c | 10-oz. tin                    | 5c        |
|                                     |     | Diamond "S" Coffee, per lb.     | 47c    |                                     |     | Tomato Soup, 4 tins           | 27c       |
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| Princess Dill Pickles, 9-oz. jar              | 10c       | Royal City Tomatoes, 15-oz. tins      | 3 for 27c | Brentwood Peas                               | 3 tins 27c | Lifebuoy Soap, per bar                               | 6c         |
| Smith's Sauce, 5-oz. bottle                   | 10c       | Spratt's Bird Seed, 2-lb. sack        | 28c       | <b>Heinz Specials</b>                        |            | Lux Toilet Soap                                      | 4 bars 19c |
| Herrings in Tomato Sauce, per tin             | 12c       | Gold Medal Malt, per tin              | \$1.39    | Soups, all varieties, 10-oz. tin             | 9c         | Palmolive Soap                                       | 2 cakes 9c |
| South African Pineapple, large tin            | 33c       | <b>Biscuit Specials</b>               |           | Tomato Ketchup, 14-oz. bottle                | 18c        | Rinso, per pkt.                                      | 21c        |
| Crest Pineapple, sliced or crushed, per tin   | 11c       | Christie's Ritz, per pkt.             | 14c       | Cream of Tomato Soup, 10-oz. tins            | 3 for 25c  | Chipso or Oxydol, per pkt.                           | 21c        |
| Australian Peaches, Golden Area, 15-oz. tins  | 2 for 25c | Duplex Creams, per lb.                | 21c       | Baked Beans or Cooked Spaghetti, 10-oz. tins | 3 for 25c  | Reckitt's Blue                                       | 2 pkts. 9c |
| Gordon Head Loganberries—2 tins               | 25c       | Manning's Assorted, per lb.           | 19c       | Lunch Green Beans, 16-oz. tins               | 3 for 28c  | P. & G. Laundry Soap, per bar                        | 4c         |
| Jameson's Tea, 1-lb. pkt.                     | 62c       | Chocolate Puffs, per lb.              | 21c       | Garden Peaches, 18-oz. tin                   | 11c        | K-9 or Ballard's Dog Food—3 tins                     | 25c        |
| Jameson's Coffee, 1-lb. pkt.                  | 48c       | Spencer's Pork and Beans, 18-oz. tins | 3 for 25c |  |            | S.O.S., large pkt.                                   | 19c        |
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| Lean Trimmed Pork Roasts, lb.             | 20c           | Mild Cheese, lb.                 | 22c    |
| Rolls Legs Veal, lb.                      | 35c           | Medium Cheese, lb.               | 28c    |
| Rolls Shoulders Veal, lb.                 | 28c           | Mature Cheese, lb.               | 35c    |
| Rolls Pot Roasts Beef, lb.                | 15c           | Grade A Large Eggs, doz.         | 29c    |
| Rolls Oven Roasts Beef, lb.               | 22c           | Juicy Oranges, 22 to 32 in box.  | 39c    |
| Rolls Rib Roasts Beef, lb.                | 22c           | Yellow Newton Apples, doz.       | 20c    |
| Prime Ribs Beef, lb.                      | 25c           | Dried Fruit Compote, lb. pk.     | 20c    |
| New York Boneless Steaks, lb.             | 40c           | Potatoes, 10 lbs.                | 25c    |
| Boneless Steaks Beef, lb.                 | 15c and 18c   | 25-lb. sack                      | 58c    |
| Lamb Chops, lb.                           | 27c, 35c, 45c | Reception Tea, lb.               | 58c    |
| Hamburger, 2 lbs.                         | 25c           | Reception Coffee, lb.            | 59c    |
| Lean Salisbury Steak, lb.                 | 20c           | White Nappa Soap, 3 for 10c      |        |
| Pork Sausage, large, 2 lbs.               | 35c           | Turner's Local Peas, 2 tins      | 29c    |
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The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the United Commercial Travelers was held recently in the K. of P. Hall with the president, Mrs. J. C. Dowds, in the chair. Wife of the grand chaplain and several members of the Vancouver auxiliary, on their intercity visit, were welcomed.

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Plans were discussed for a St. Patrick tea to be held on March 12. Mrs. Len Hobbs, refreshment convener, was thanked for her capable handling of the refreshments at the Christmas party. It was reported a Christmas donation of \$10 had been sent to the Children's Aid Society. A letter was read from the Arena Campaign Fund in connection with the auxiliary's donation made during the fund's recent drive. A letter of thanks was read from a family for Christmas gifts amounting to \$25. Members were pleased to hear of Bro. Bob Jamieson's improvement in health. Bridge was played, with war savings stamps as prizes. Next meeting will be held February 15.

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A CHARMING BRIDE-TO-BE—Miss Barbara Munro Miller, who is to be quietly married here at the week-end to Mr. George Frederick Green.

—Photo by Ken McAllister.

## Social and Personal

Mrs. Fred E. Toms, Douglas Street, has returned from Tacoma where she has been visiting for the last two weeks with Mrs. Fred Robson. En route home Mrs. Toms visited for a short time in Vancouver.

A delightful social evening was enjoyed by the members of the Schubert Club at the clubroom Monday evening. Entertaining games and contests were participated in, directed by the monitors, Mrs. Kermodie, Mrs. Robinson and Miss Atchison. Prizes were won by Mrs. P. Timp, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Hebdon, Miss Clyde, Mrs. B. Noel and Mr. King. At the close of the program delicious refreshments were served by the mezzo-section.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Blake, 2958 Earl Gray St., entertained at a party Wednesday afternoon in celebration of the first birthday of their daughter, Patricia Ruth. The table was prettily decorated, being centred by a birthday cake adorned with one candle. The guests were: Mrs. A. C. Chislett, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. G. Meach, Mrs. C. Ridley, Mrs. Edith Brownlee, Miss Eileen Chislett, Barbara Meech, and Larry Ridley.

Miss Elsie Finlayson and Miss Beatrice Ball were hostesses to the Victoria Venture Club Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Finlayson, 1040 Craigdarroch, the party being arranged in honor of Mrs. Robert Taylor and infant son, Robert. Upon her arrival Mrs. Taylor was given a corsage bouquet of pink carnations and heather by Miss Finlayson and a prettily decorated baby carriage containing many gifts for the "wee one" was presented to her by Miss Ruth Whiteoak on behalf of the club. During the evening amusing games were played, the prize-winners being Miss Marjorie Laidlaw, Miss Violet Day, Mrs. Robert Taylor, Mrs. Charles Powell, Miss Janet Graham, Mrs. Mel Dennstedt and Miss Louise Rogers. Miss Finlayson and Miss Ball presided at the supper table, which was covered with a lace cloth and attractively centred with a bouquet of gold chrysanthemums. The guests included Misses Ruth Whiteoak, Janet Graham, Louise Rogers, Gertrude Day, Violet Day, Kay Davey, Vivienne Nock, Marjorie Laidlaw, Florence Murkar, Gwyn Spencer, and Mesdames Robert Taylor, Charles Powell, Mel Dennstedt and R. Knight.

### Would Not Neglect Farm Organizations

CALGARY (CP)—Mrs. Winifred Ross of Millet, president of the United Farm Women of Alberta, said here yesterday that "war, with the urgency of its demands for maximum effort... is absorbing the attention of our people almost to the exclusion of all else."

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Mrs. Catherine Telfer and her daughter, Miss Janet Telfer, were joint hostesses yesterday evening at a miscellaneous shower at their home on Rose Street, in compliment to Miss Hilda Smith. When the three main guests, Miss Smith, Mrs. A. Smith and Mrs. C. Venable, arrived, Miss Beatrice Roberts played the wedding march and later Miss Ruth Pearce presented each with a corsage bouquet of pink carnations. The gifts were concealed under an umbrella over which was suspended a watering can in rainbow colors. Contests were enjoyed, prizes being awarded to Mrs. C. Reynolds, Miss Ruth Pearce, Miss Doris Watson and Miss Helen Roberts. Other guests present were Mrs. R. Ratcliffe, Mrs. W. Ratcliffe, Mrs. G. Wilson, Mrs. H. Horn, Mrs. J. Pimlott, Mrs. W. Wardell, Mrs. G. Wilson, Mrs. B. Laird, Mrs. J. Scarfe, Mrs. F. Howlett, Mrs. A. Townsend, Mrs. C. Watt, Mrs. C. Milley, Mrs. E. Baykin, Mrs. W. Hastings, Mrs. J. Turton and Mrs. H. Pearce, and the Misses Ruth Wilson, Beulah Wilson, Mary Wilson, Beatrice Roberts, Barbara Laird, Florence Wilson, Gwyneth Rockelly, Winnie Smith and Eva Turton.

### Engagements

DAVIDSON-MASSON — ROOTE

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Roote, Vancouver, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Florence Grace, to Mr. W. Davidson-Masson of Victoria, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Davidson-Masson of Woodside, Aberdeen, Scotland. The wedding will take place shortly in Victoria.

### No Paris Models To Be Exported

PARIS (via Berlin), (Delayed AP)—Spring showings of French dressmakers will begin in Paris February 10, but there is still no exporting of their models. Announcement of the spring fashion plans came from designer Lucien Lelong, now acting for the French Ministry of work and industrial production.

Lelong's powers appear to make him a Czar of dressmaking and allied industries. He has a consulting committee of seven men.

Drastic penalties may be imposed on dressmaking and other houses not conforming to rules or decisions of the Lelong group. (At Washington the United States commerce department said that Germany is seeking to have Vienna supplant Paris as the world fashion centre.)

### World-wide Prayer

TORONTO (CP)—The inter-board committee of the Women's Missionary Societies of Canada issued an appeal today to all Canadian women to participate in a world-wide prayer service February 28. Mrs. R. G. Wodehouse, Dominion president of the Anglican Women's Auxiliary, will broadcast from Ottawa February 27 on a coast-to-coast network.

The W.A. to the Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps meeting will be held Friday, January 24, at 2.30, at the R.C.O.C. officers' mess at Signal Hill. All wives and mothers of members of the corps are invited.

## Weddings

### HARRISON—WAUGH

An interesting wedding took place last evening at 8 at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, when Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunn united in marriage Mildred Eva, younger daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Waugh of Dawson City, and Charles Wilfred Harrison, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Harrison of Beach Drive.

The bride, given in marriage by Mr. C. H. Harrison, wore a picture gown of stencilled white marquisette and a chapel veil of the same material, worn with a cluster of orange blossoms above her brow, and she carried a sheaf of arum lilies. Miss Kathleen Greenwood, a cousin of the bridegroom, was the only bridesmaid, and wore a Victorian frock of dusty pink, a small flowered hat in heaven blue tied with matching ribbon, and carried a Colonial posy of forget-me-nots and Talsman roses. The best man was Mr. Bernard Lees. Mr. F. T. C. Wickett presided at the organ.

At the reception held later at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mrs. C. H. Harrison welcomed the guests in a Bogart blue dress with hat to match and wore a corsage bouquet of cyclamen. The supper table was covered with a silk damask cloth in peach tone and was centred with an old pewter bowl filled with violets and deep red rosebuds, flanked with silver candelabra holding in place lighted peach-colored tapers. The bride and bridegroom left on the midnight boat for Vancouver en route to the interior to spend their honeymoon, the bride traveling in a dressmaker's suit of Queen's blue, a grey Russian squirrel coat with a fur hat to match. They will return to Victoria before leaving for Kelowna where they will make their home.

### Musical Proves Enjoyable Affair

The Victoria Musical Arts Society held its first musical of the season yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. S. Thatcher, 840 Pemberton Road, the large attendance attesting to the popularity of this more intimate type of concert.

Mrs. E. W. Hetherington, the president, welcomed the guests and announced the numbers on the delightfully arranged program. The Ockenden trio opened the program with Nils Gade's Trio in E Flat for piano, violin and cello, and for their second group gave two numbers by Frank Bridges, "Salterello" and "Romance," their playing throughout revealing ensemble and individual musicianship of a high order. In response to an encore they gave "Humoresque" by Zamenhof. Later in the program Miss Helen Ockenden, the pianiste, played Debussy's "Reflets dans l'Eau," the Schumann-Liszt "Dedication" and the Chopin G Flat Waltz, in brilliant style.

The vocal part of the program was contributed by Peggy Moore, whose appealing soprano voice was heard to splendid effect in Rummel's "Ecstasy," "Clouds" (Ernest Charles), sung with sensitive feeling, and as an encore "Mountains" (Rasbach) and Jay Pogson, baritone, who gave an excellent rendition of the Tschalkowski "Pilgrim's Song," "Snow" (Vernon C. Haskins) and "Gifts" by Dunhill. Miss Helen Ockenden and Mrs. Jamie Cameron shared the role of accompanist, playing with their usual good taste.

Mrs. R. D. McCaw and Mrs. Llewellyn Jones had charge of the arrangements for tea. The tea table, at which Mrs. Duncan MacBride and Mrs. F. T. C. Wickett presided, was prettily arranged with a central bowl of pink carnations, and pussy willows and spring flowers were used in the music-room. Assisting in the dining-room were Mrs. F. G. Aldous, Miss Lora Blake, Mrs. Cedric Lefevre, Mrs. Gordon McCurdy, Mrs. John Kyle and Misses Margaret George, Doreen Briggs, Esther Decker and Phyllis Corbett.

The committee of the First Spiritualist Church will hold a silver tea in the Victoria Women's Institute rooms, 635 Fort Street, on Friday afternoon from 2.30 to 5. This tea is convened by Mrs. Muir and Mrs. E. Fanthorpe. Mrs. Frampton, Mrs. J. Mallows and Mrs. C. P. Milne will read teas, Mrs. Johnson will read cards.

Owing to unavoidable circumstances, the birthday party planned for tomorrow by the Women's Auxiliary to Britannia Branch No. 7, Canadian Legion, has been postponed until Friday, January 31, and will be held at the home of Mrs. Winters, 1544 Bank Street.

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### Catholic League Welcomes Chaplain

Rev. Father Geoffrey Penfold, newly-appointed diocesan chaplain for the Catholic Women's League, was presented to the diocesan council Tuesday evening at a meeting held in the Bishop's library. Mrs. C. E. Rivers, diocesan president, introduced Father Penfold, now chaplain to the navy.

Mrs. Rivers spoke with deep regret of the loss of Mrs. J. C. Ciceri, valued president of the Oak Bay subdivision C. W. L., and sincere sympathy was expressed to her family and to the Oak Bay subdivision, and members joined in prayer for the repose of her soul.

### MUCH ORGANIZATION

Mrs. Blair Reid reported on organization, introducing Mrs. W. B. Stockwood, president of the newly-organized subdivision of Lake Hill, and Mrs. Heather of Lake Hill.

Mrs. P. A. O. Leask, president of Cobble Hill, Shawinigan, subdivision, and Mrs. McKewen, were also present; and Mrs. Patrick, president of Ladysmith, with Mrs. Rozzanna, represented Ladysmith. Mrs. Leask reported the successful co-operation of Victoria diocese with the National C.W.L. in Red Cross activities. Mrs. A. Grant spoke on immigration, citing many practical efforts made as convener in offering hospitality to newcomers, particularly to boys in the services and out-of-town nurses in training.

### ENTERTAIN SAILORS

Mrs. C. H. O'Halloran gave an interesting report of what has been accomplished for the entertainment of members of the navy from various parts of the country and was thanked for her active interest during the past month. Mrs. Blair Reid volunteered assistance with transportation on the continuance of the program. Mrs. Rivers and Mrs. Reid brought the reports from the Local Council. Miss M. J. Clay spoke on "Study Clubs and Retreats," tracing the origin of the Perpetual Help Credit Union to study clubs, and paying tribute to the work of Mrs. J. J. O'Brien in this connection. The report for social service by Miss H. O'Brien was given by Mrs. Rivers. Mrs. Ebbs Canavan, reporting on education, gave the names of the prize-winners in the speech contest at St. Ann's, and referred

to the satisfactory reports from St. Louis College and the newly-formed Chinese kindergarten.

Miss Morry spoke of the expansion of her work with the Girl Guides and Brownies, stating that more Brownies could be enrolled. Miss Kathleen Keeble, corresponding secretary, read an invitation from the National C.W.L. secretary, inviting Mrs. Rivers to attend the formal presentation at Ottawa on January 28, of the Catholic Women's League's gift of \$25,000 to Prime Minister Mackenzie King to be used in Canada's war effort in whatever way the government may deem most advisable.

The diocesan treasurer, Mrs. M. L. O'Neill, reported satisfactorily, and members were reminded of the annual spring fair to be held on April 24 at St. Ann's Academy, and in which all the subdivisions will take part.

### Conservatory Club Had Bach Evening

Mrs. C. S. Beals was the speaker at the meeting of the Toronto Conservatory Club, held at the home of the president, Miss Gwendoline Harper. It was an evening devoted to Bach, and the informative address was supplemented in an interesting way with a Bach trio and quartette, comprising two members, Miss Isabelle Pike, soprano, and Miss Genn, pianiste, and two guest violinists, Miss Francis and Mr. G. Margison, as well as a recording of the Fifth Brandenburg Concerto and the second movement of the Concerto for Two Violins. The trio for voice, violin and piano was "Sighs, Tears, Care and Grief," from Cantata No. 21. The quartette for two violins, voice and piano, "Sheep May Safely Graze," and the trio for voice, violin and piano from the Cantata No. 36, "With Small Voices Also May God's Majesty Be Praised."

The thanks and appreciation of all members were tendered the speaker and artists.

The business meeting which preceded the address was presided over by Miss Harper. Later, refreshments were served, Miss Pringle assisting the hostess.

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FILLETED SOLE, lb. 25¢  
SMOKED SALMON, lb. 22¢  
EASTERN KIPPERS, pair 19¢  
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## Churchill Tells Of Post-war Plans

LONDON (CP)—The job assigned to Arthur Greenwood, minister without portfolio, of studying post-war reconstruction problems, "gives the minister a grand and growing opportunity of historic national service," Prime Minister Churchill told the Commons.

"It is not his task to make a new world comprising a new heaven and a new earth, and no doubt a new hell," Mr. Churchill said. "I am sure it would be necessary to have that in any balanced system."

The Prime Minister said it was also not Mr. Greenwood's duty to "establish a new order or to create a new heart in the human race," and that these tasks must be undertaken by other agencies.

"His task is to plan in advance a number of large and practical steps which it is indispensable to take if our society is to move forward, as it must. Such steps can be far and large, and taken far more smoothly, if they are made with something like the same kind of national unity as has been achieved under the pressure of this present struggle for life."

Mr. Churchill said there will be "four or five" great spheres of action in which practical immediate advance can be made, but he did not specify them.

## Missing Persons

Annually, 25,000 persons disappear in England. Of this number, 4,200 disappear from London alone. Police records over a period of 10 years show that only about 2,000 never are traced.

## Clubwomen's News

The regular meeting of Beaver Theta Rho Girls' Club No. 4 will be held tomorrow evening at 7.30 in the I.O.O.F. Hall, Douglas Street.

A meeting of the Monterey P.T.A. Study Group will be held at the home of Mrs. Ralston, 671 Linkleas Avenue, Friday at 2.30. All new members are welcome.

The Presbyterian of the Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society will meet Friday afternoon at 3 in the lecture room of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

The Women's Workroom committee will hold its annual meeting on Wednesday afternoon, February 5, at the home of the president, Mrs. Alan Morkill, 750 Pemberton Road, at 3 p.m.

The monthly meeting of the Centennial Church Ladies' Guild was held in the church parlors, the president, Mrs. W. M. McCague in the chair. After the devotional period the secretary, Mrs. Jeffries, read the financial report, which showed a very successful year financially and in Red Cross work. Tea was served by the social committee and the president presented Mrs. H. Harris with a gift and bouquet of chrysanthemums, as a little memento in appreciation of her 12 years' faithful service as treasurer, which was replied to in a few suitable words.

The annual meeting of the Speedwell Circle of the King's Daughters was held at the home of Mrs. L. H. Schmelz, 134 Gorge Road West, on Tuesday evening. Reports showed the circle had been active in welfare work during the year. Two successful rummage sales had been held and the circle had helped with all undertakings of the district King's Daughters. Election of officers for 1941 resulted as follows: Mrs. W. Griffin, president; Mrs. Lawrence, first vice-president; Mrs. L. Ackerman, second vice-president; Mrs. G. W. Durrant, secretary; Miss A. Pye, treasurer. The retiring president, Miss Betty Billingham, was presented with a corsage of daffodils and narcissi, and the retiring secretary, Mrs. A. McFarlane, with a box of chocolates. Arrangements have been made to hold a silver tea at the home of Mrs. Edwin Tomlin, 1930 Woodley Road, on Wednesday, February 5.

The Young Women's Auxiliary of Knox Presbyterian Church met on Tuesday evening at the home of the Misses McPhail, 2643 Forbes Street, the president, Miss Peggy McPhail, presiding. After the devotional, the election took place, the retiring officers all being re-elected by acclamation for the ensuing year, as follows:



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## Tonight

News-KPO.  
Pot of Gold-KJR, KGO.  
Meditation-CBR.  
Banger's Cabin-CJOR.  
Jack Armstrong-KOMO, KPO at 8:15.

## 5:30

Aldrich Family-KOMO, KPO.  
Bud Barton-KJR.  
News-KGO.  
On Parade-CBR.  
Adventures-KOL.  
Concert Hall-CJOR.  
Tom Mix-KJR, KGO at 5:45.  
Bob Garza's News-KIRO, KNX, KVI, 5:45.  
Captain Midnight-KOL at 5:45.  
Elmer Davis' News-KIRO, KNX, KVI, 5:50.

## 6

Bing Crosby-KOMO, KPO.  
Composer's Concert-CBR.  
Major Bowes' Amateurs-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Fulton Lewis-CBR.  
Supper Dance-CJOR.  
News-KJR at 6:15.  
Sports Review-CJOR at 6:15.

## 6:30

John Kennedy-KJR, KGO.  
8. American Serenade-CBR.  
John Hughes-KOL.  
Anything Goes-CJOR.  
Town Meeting-KJR at 6:35.  
Organ-CBR at 6:45.  
News-KGO at 6:45.

## 7

Cugat and Yvette-KOMO, KPO.  
Miller's Orchestra-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
News-CBR, CJOR.  
On Your Mind-KIRO, KNX, KVI, 7:15.  
William Holt-CBR at 7:15.  
Light Up and Listen-CJOR at 7:15.

## 7:30

Ahead of Headlines-KJR, KGO.  
BBC News-CBR.  
Wynne Williams-KOL.  
Organ-CJOR.  
Elmer Davis' News-KIRO, KNX, KVI, 7:45.  
Nitties-KJOR at 7:45.  
News-KIRO, KNX, KVI at 7:50.

## 8

Fred Waring-KOMO, KPO.  
Aloha 'n' Andy-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Old Time Dance-CBR.  
Symphony-KOL.  
News-CJOR.  
Lanny Ross-KIRO, KNX, KVI at 8:15.

## 8:30

Frank Morgan Show-KOMO, KPO.  
Fame and Fortune-KJR, KGO.  
Ask-it-Basket-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Stage Party-CBR.  
Handball Lariat-CJOR at 8:45.

## 9

Big Town-KPO.  
Easy Aces-KJR, KGO.  
City Desk-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
News-KOL.  
Morgan's Orchestra-CJOR.  
Morgan's Orchestra-CBR at 9:05.  
Mr. Kew-KJR, KGO at 9:15.  
News-KIRO, KNX, KVI at 9:25.

## 9:30

Enterprising West-KPO.  
News-KJR.  
Walt's Orchestra-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Ayson's Orchestra-CBR.  
Martin's Orchestra-KOL.  
Bernard Braden-CJOR.

## 10

News-KOMO, KPO, KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Poster's Orchestra-KJR.  
Generally Speaking-CBR.  
Haven of Rest-KOL.  
News-KIRO, CBR at 10:15.

## 10:30

Nottingham's Orchestra-KJR.  
Music by Woodbury-KOMO, CBR.  
News-KOL, CJOR.  
Harris' Orchestra-KOL at 10:45.  
Melody in the Night-CJOR at 10:45.

## 11

Cummins' Orchestra-KOMO, KPO, CBR.  
News-KJR, KGO, KNX, KVI.  
Clark Ross-KIRO, KVI.  
Horlick's Orchestra-CJOR.  
Berle's Orchestra-KIRO at 11:15.  
Bill Sabransky-KJR at 11:15.  
Mojica's Orchestra-KOL at 11:15.

## 11:30

Marshall's Orchestra-KPO.  
Strand's Orchestra-KNX, KVI.  
News-CBR.  
Morgan's Orchestra-CJOR.  
News-KOL at 11:45.  
News-KIRO, KNX, KVI at 11:50.  
News-KOMO, KJR at 11:51.

## Tomorrow

Wake and Sing-KOMO, KPO.  
Breakfast Club-KJR, KGO.  
News-KIRO, KNX, KVI, CBR.  
Musical Minutes-CBR at 7:35.  
Sam Hayes-KOMO, KPO at 7:45.  
Morning Devotions-CBR at 7:45.  
News-CJOR at 7:45.

## 8

News-CBR, CJOR.  
Against the Storm-KOMO, KPO at 8:15.  
News-KIRO, KNX, KVI at 8:15.  
Clark Dennis-CBR at 8:15.  
Haven of Rest-KOL at 8:15.  
Range Rider-CJOR at 8:15.

## 8:30

Between Friends-KJR, KGO.  
Goldberg-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Musical Varieties-CBR.  
Breakfast Club-CJOR.  
News-KGO at 8:45.  
Kathleen Norris-KIRO, KNX, KVI, 8:45.  
Balladeer-CBR at 8:45.

## 9

News-KJR.  
Ann Holden-KGO.  
Kate Smith-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
News-CBR, KOL.  
Shut-ins-CJOR.  
When a Girl Marries-KIRO, KNX, KVI at 9:15.  
Soprano-CBR at 9:15.  
Revelers-CJOR at 9:15.

## 9:30

National Home Hour-KJR, KGO.  
Helen Trent-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
B.C. Schools-CBR.  
Gal Sunday-KIRO, KNX, KVI at 9:45.  
Gospel Singer-CJOR at 9:45.

## 10

Life Can Be Beautiful-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Happy Gang-CBR.  
John Hughes-KOL.  
On with the Dance-CJOR.  
Tillamook Kitchen-KOMO, KPO at 10:15.  
Woman in White-KIRO, KNX, KVI, 10:15.  
Ruth's Orchestra-CJOR at 10:15.

## 10:30

Sophisticated Lady-KOMO, KPO.  
"Opportunity"-KJR, KGO.  
Right to Happiness-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Johnson Family-CJOR.  
Master Singer-CJOR.  
Dr. Kase-KOMO, KPO at 10:45.  
News-KJR, KGO, CBR, CJOR at 10:45.  
Bachelor's Children-KOL at 10:45.

## 11

Billy Crocker-KOMO, KPO.

## Headliners Tonight

5:00—Pot of Gold-KJR, KGO.  
5:30—Aldrich Family—KOMO, KPO.  
6:00—Bing Crosby—KOMO, KPO.  
6:00—Major Bowes' Amateurs—KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
6:35—Town Meeting—KJR.  
7:15—William Holt—CBR.  
8:30—Frank Morgan Show—KOMO, KPO.  
8:30—Ask-it-Basket—KIRO, KVI, KNX.  
8:30—Stag Party—CBR.  
9:00—City Desk—KIRO, KNX, KVI.

## News

5:00—KPO; 5:30—KGO; 5:45—KIRO, KNX, KVI; 5:55—KIRO, KNX, KVI; 6:15—KJR; 6:30—KJR, KGO, KOL; 6:45—KGO; 7:00—CJOR, CBR; 7:15—KOL; 7:45—KIRO, KNX, KVI; 7:50—KIRO, KNX, KVI; 8:00—CJOR; 9:00—KOL; 9:25—KIRO, KNX, KVI; 9:30—KJR; 10:00—KOMO, KPO, KIRO, KNX, KVI; 10:15—KIRO, CBR; 10:30—KOL, CJOR; 11:00—KJR, KGO, KNX; 11:30—CBR; 11:45—KOL; 11:55—KIRO, KNX, KVI; 11:57—KOMO, KJR.

Big Sister-KIRO, KNX, KVI, CBR, CJOR.  
Friendly Neighbors-KOL.  
A Grimm's Daughter-KOMO, KPO, 11:15.  
Aunt Jenny's Stories-KIRO, KNX, KVI at 11:15.  
Dr. Susan-CBR, CJOR at 11:15.

## 11:30

Valiant Lady-KOMO, KPO.  
Fischer Wiley-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Music Appreciation-CBR.  
Singer Sam-CJOR.  
Light of World-KOMO, KPO at 11:45.  
News-KJR at 11:45.  
Home of the Brave-KIRO, KNX, KVI, 11:45.  
Hint Hunter-CJOR at 11:45.

## 12

Mary Martin-KOMO, KPO.  
Orphan of Diore-KJR, KGO.  
Martha Webster-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
B.C. Farm-CBR.  
News-KOL.  
Spencer's Tune-CJOR.  
Ma Perkins-KOMO, KPO at 12:15.  
Honeycomb Hill-KJR, KGO at 12:15.

## 12:30

Pepper Young-KOMO, KPO.  
John's Other Wife-KJR, KGO.  
Kate Hopkins-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
News-CBR, CJOR.  
Woman of Courage-KIRO, KNX, KVI at 12:45.  
Vic and Sade-KOMO, KPO at 12:45.  
Plain Bill-KJR, KGO at 12:45.  
Philadelphia Symposium-KOL, KOL, 12:45.  
Ballad Music-CJOR at 12:45.

## 1

Backstage Wife-KOMO, KPO.  
Mother of Mine-KJR, KGO.  
Fortis Race-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Man I Married-CJOR.  
Stella Dallas-KOMO, KPO at 1:15.  
Myrt and Marge-KIRO, KNX, KVI, 1:15.  
Club Matinee-CBR at 1:15.  
Sue's Notebook-CJOR at 1:15.

## 1:30

Lorenzo Jones-KOMO, KPO.  
Hullop House-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Talent Parade-CBR.  
Widder Brown-KOMO, KPO at 1:45.  
Stepmother-KIRO, KNX, KVI at 1:45.  
Bright Pace of Danger-CBR at 1:45.  
Studio Party-CJOR at 1:45.

## 2

Jiri Alone-KOMO, KPO.  
School of the Air-KNX, KVI.  
Stock Quotations-CBR.  
News-KOL.  
Line Journey-KOMO, KPO at 2:15.  
Food Facts-CBR at 2:15.

## 2:30

Guiding Light-KOMO, KPO.  
Popular Songs-CBR.  
Life Can Be Beautiful-KOMO, KPO, 2:45.  
Scattergood Baines-KIRO, KNX, KVI, 2:45.  
News-CBR, CJOR at 2:45.

## 3

Linda Dale-KJR, KGO.  
Dr. Malone-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Barnes Orchestra-CBR.  
Life Can Be Beautiful-CJOR.  
Tune Wailer-KJR, KGO at 3:15.  
Hedda Hopper-KIRO, KVI at 3:15.  
Pianist-CBR at 3:15.  
Ma Perkins-CJOR at 3:15.  
News-KPO, KJR, KGO at 3:25.

## 3:30

Joyce Jordan-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Pepper Young-CJOR.  
World Today-KIRO, KVI at 3:45.  
Attack Through Arctic-CBR at 3:45.  
Right to Happiness-CJOR at 3:45.

## 4

Maurice's Orchestra-KOMO, KPO.  
News-KGO.  
Second Wife-KIRO, KNX, KVI.  
Do You Remember-CBR.  
Fulton Lewis-KOL.  
Road of Life-CJOR.  
European Situation-KOMO, KPO at 4:15.  
Radio Magic-KJR, KGO at 4:15.  
Ma Perkins-KOL at 4:15.  
News-CJOR at 4:15.

## 4:30

Romance and Rhythm-KJR, KGO.  
Toronto Symphony Band-CBR.  
Woman in White-CJOR.  
Willow Woods-CBR at 4:55.

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5:00—Monitor.  
5:10—Fiddle.  
5:45—Birthdays.  
6:30—News.  
6:45—Music.

## TOMORROW

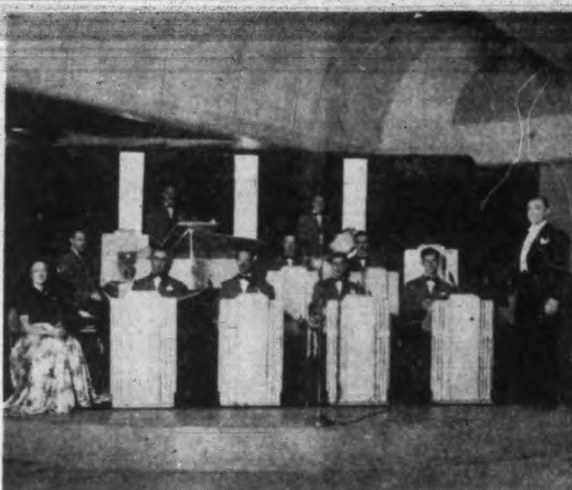
7:30—Yawn Patrol.  
8:00—Western Time.  
8:15—News.  
8:30—Chronometer.  
9:00—Out and Uplook.  
9:15—Classics.  
9:30—Finances.  
9:45—Concert.  
10:00—Seraphim.  
10:30—Features.  
11:00—Empire Salute.  
11:30—Musicize.  
12:00—Intercession.

## About Serifs

Because the cross strokes on printed letters, such as "W," resemble tails, they are called serifs, from the Hebrew seraph, meaning serpent, according to some authorities.

## World's Heaviest Smokers

Americans and the Dutch are the heaviest smokers in the world. Two ounces of tobacco weekly per capita are consumed in these two countries.



**TO PLAY FOR VICTORIA DANCERS**—Sandy Desantis' popular Vancouver orchestra will make its Victoria debut on Tuesday, February 4, in the Empress Hotel Ballroom under the auspices of the Victoria High School Alumni Association. Combining versatility with a distinctive style, this band has won for itself acclaim as western Canada's leading dance band.

## With the Forces

### Ex-Soldier V.C. Now in R.C.A.F.

EDMONTON (CP)—John Chipman Kerr of Spirit River, Alta., who won the Victoria Cross in the first Great War, was accepted yesterday for service in the Royal Canadian Air Force, joining two of his sons who already are in that branch. Leslie, 21, is serving with the ground forces, and Roland, 20, is training for a place in an aircrew.

Kerr, known as a "Chip," has been stationed at the military training centre at Grande Prairie since last fall helping prepare hundreds of Peace River area youths to be soldiers.

### New R.C.A.F. Trainer

OTTAWA (CP)—Group Capt. A. L. Paxton of the Royal Air Force arrived in Canada yesterday from England to become director of air training under the British Commonwealth air training plan.

Group Capt. Paxton fills a vacancy caused by appointment of Air Commodore Robert Leckie to the air council as air member for training. Air Commodore Leckie previously had been director of training.

### 1914-18 War Flier Joins R.C.A.F.

OTTAWA (CP)—Squad. Ldr. Logan, who flew in the first Great War with the Royal Naval Service and became one of Canada's most prominent airmen after the war, has rejoined the Royal Canadian Air Force. He is on a short visit to the capital.

During the first Great War, in 1917, he was shot down behind the German lines and was held prisoner until after the armistice. In 1922 he made an aerial reconnaissance of the Canadian Arctic Archipelago and raised the R.C.A.F. standard on Ellesmere Island. Several years later he accompanied Col. Charles A. Lindbergh on a flight to Greenland and Iceland.

Before he rejoined the R.C.A.F. he was head of the Irish air lines.

### Scions of Wealthy In Army Now

NEW YORK (AP)—Three scions of the wealthy—a Rockefeller, a MacGuire and a relative of the Bonapartes—have taken on new jobs at which they'll never get rich. They joined the United States army.

Winthrop Rockefeller, 28, heir to oil millions, passed his medical exams and headed for Fort Dix, N.J., with just enough cash to buy "cigarettes and a beer." He quit a \$22-a-week job to volunteer.

Undergoing the tests with him were James Butler MacGuire, 25, heir to a grocery fortune, and Lefferts Streiberg, nephew of Mrs. Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte, a New York society leader.

"It's a little tough," said MacGuire, who was married last month, "but I'm in the army now and it will be fine training." Streiberg said nothing.

### Change in Army Diet Makes Super Soldiers

FORT LEWIS, Wash. (AP)—Lightning troops which will fight "through hell and high water," and which will keep advancing with the aid of their bare fists, even though they have lost their weapons and their clothes, can be developed within six months from draftees coming into the army, solely by a nutritional change in the diet.

This is the opinion of Col. Albert P. Clark, head of the Fort Lewis base hospital, authority on nutrition, and surgeon in charge.

## ST. ALBAN'S HAS YEAR OF GROWTH

St. Alban's annual meeting was held on Tuesday evening with Rev. F. Comley in the chair. Rev. Norman Smith of St. Barnabas conducted the opening prayers and gave special thanksgiving for the safety of his son who served on board H.M.S. Southampton. The congregation rose in silent tribute to the memory of those who had been taken from their midst during the year.

There was a good attendance at the meeting including a very encouraging number of young people representing the various organizations. Also a number of newcomers to the parish; several old members recently returned were heartily welcomed.

The financial statement showed a marked increase in receipts, a substantial bank balance and the offerings for the church's mission, including the pledges and gifts from all groups, well in excess of last year. There was also a notable increase in the number of envelope subscribers.

Several organizations showed increased activity. For the first time in years the A.Y.P.A. sent a delegate to the Dominion A.Y.P.A. Conference held at Chilliwack.

During the year the Sunday school executive accepted with regret the resignations of the superintendent, Mrs. A. Andrews, and the secretary-treasurer, Miss Owendon, but reported that A. Gregg has consented to take over the work of the superintendent, and Miss Comber is the new secretary.

The Women's Society made its usual splendid effort to assist with the finances of the church and hall, the beautifying of the church for festivals and the care of the altar linen.

The Senior Women's Auxiliary showed an increase in membership and offerings. The Girls' W.A., under the leadership of Mrs. Stansby, has shown a very high average of attendance. The Junior W.A. has recently been organized by Mrs. Garnum, assisted by Miss Hilda Gallup, and their membership is increasing. The Little Helpers branch of the W.A.

is in process of reorganization. In the name of the congregation Mr. Comley thanked a member for the gift of a handsome vestry. During the year the church was re-roofed, the hall redecorated and a permanent screen for slides or movies installed. Ernest Andrews was elected the minister's warden and A. Wyeth, people's warden.

The members of the church committee are as follows: Mrs. Swan, president of the W.A.; Mrs. Chappell, president of the Women's Society; Mrs. Trickett, Mrs. Berry and Messrs. David Swan, Hawes, Owendon and Alison. Walter Hamilton is the organist; Mr. Bursey, president of the A.Y.P.A. Mr. Davey will continue as secretary. Mr. Gregg will be delegate to synod in February with Mr. Hawes as alter-nate.

Mr. Comley urged the congregation to attend the session of the synod or W.A. annual meeting to hear the Bishop of Calgary. Mrs. Chappell was asked to collect the names of all men known to have left this congregation for service with His Majesties Forces in order to prepare a suitable roll of honor. The Women's Society served refreshments.



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tins.

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tins.  
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pure, 1x tin.  
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tin.

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large pkt.  
Save your box top and send for your pair of form-fitted Silk Stockings for 3c.  
10c pkt. Blue Ribbon Tea given with each purchase of a 16-oz. tin Blue Ribbon Baking Powder.  
NOTE for 23c  
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bars.  
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bars.  
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# Make Dominoes Work for Win

## Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

ANOTHER ATTEMPT is being made to bring back amateur boxing in Victoria. This time it looks like the effort will meet with success. We express this confidence as the boys behind the latest movement are the young fighters themselves. A club has been formed and the spark behind the plan is Jack Patterson, leading Victoria heavy-weight scrapper, who battled his way to the Pacific Coast Golden Gloves finals. Patterson has taken on the job of coaching the young battlers.

Attended a meeting of the lads the other night and was surprised to find so much enthusiasm. The boys, most of whom have not reached their majority, are keen to learn this great art. All of them are anxious to help and are not afraid to get out and work to put their club over the top. Through the kindness of C. V. Milton, a temporary gym for training purposes has been established at the former Cranleigh House School. Training periods are held twice a week and if any of you boxing fans want to see some action attend one of the sessions.

Big problem of the boys is to secure funds sufficient to purchase equipment. Some of them have jobs but their resources are mighty limited. Time the lads pay their club dues there will not be much left to spend on boxing gloves, skipping ropes, punching bags, etc. However, they have an opportunity to buy a lot of equipment second-hand at better than cost price. They intend to make a canvas of citizens to raise money. These youngsters deserve a helping hand. They are conscientious and their enthusiasm should not be dampened through the lack of a few dollars.

Plans include the holding of shows with first-class competition being brought in from Vancouver, Port Alberni and Port Angeles. In the mainland city are some of the finest scrappers in the Pacific Northwest and fans here would certainly like to watch such glove-throwers as Jackie Turner, Tadao Kato, Alan Dunn, Mickey Rogan and several others in action. These fighters, along with several first-class boys from Alberni, have expressed their willingness to fight here.

In years gone by this city has developed some great simon-pure scrappers and there is no reason why the sport should not be revived. Victoria has always been a good boxing town and first-class amateur cards would get the support. The youngsters are willing to do everything they can to bring the game back so if you are approached for a donation don't turn a deaf ear to these young men who are trying to do something worth while.

Bearded basketball who are not bearded. Tomorrow night at the Sports Centre the House of David touring professional cage squad will make its annual appearance. We hear the big worry of Manager George Johnson this season has been to promote whisks on his boys. The club is advertised as one featuring bearded performers. The whole trouble is the current team is composed of players so young it is impossible for them to even coax along a respectable stubble. So you fans who attend don't think a bunch of ringers are being thrown in if the Davidans are not real bearded gentlemen.

### Scroggs Resigns

At a brief meeting of the Junior Canadian Football League in the "Y" last night, Ted Scroggs resigned from the office of treasurer due to pressure of business and his position was filled temporarily by Jim Smith.

It was announced Smith would referee the interscholastic league game Saturday at Central Park at 1.30 between St. Louis College and Victoria High.

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T.A.C. Arrows came so near but yet so far last night. They came so near giving the Dominoes a beating it wasn't funny for the former Canadian champs, who are undefeated in league play this season. The score was 35 to 30. Dominoes were forced to come from behind to take the Arrows out.

This is what hoop fans saw at the Sports Centre along with the second game in the intermediate B boys' division playdowns which saw Kayvees nose out Y.M.C.A. 18 to 12, and the first game in the senior B men's division playdowns in which Eagles defeated 5th R.C.A. R.F. 34 to 24. The win for Kayvees earned them the right to play in the finals for the city championship. The first game the two teams played was tied 30 to 30. It was a total point series.

The Dominoes' scare though—that was the feature of the evening. Paced by Ollie Goldsmith with 12 points, Arrows went to work from the opening whistle and the final decision was a heartbreaker. They led 10 to 8 at the end of the first quarter, 18 to 11 at half time, and 26 to 22 at three-quarter time.

### ART CHAPMAN OUT

Dominoes, minus Art Chapman, the play-maker and power-driver of the team, moved in on the Arrows in the final session and with four minutes left in the game tied the score at 29 to 29. In the closing minutes they outscored Arrows 6 to 1. Goldsmith's 12 points were balanced with 12 points for Busher Jackson which made him top scorer for Dominoes. Incidentally Goldsmith was sent from the game on personals in the fourth period.

### 10-POINT LEAD

Eagles have a 10-point lead in their two-game total points series for the right to battle in the city finals.

Team was paced to victory over 5th by Reg Patterson and Stan Davies.

Second game in the series will be played tomorrow night as a preliminary to the House of David vs. Dominoes game at the Sports Centre.

### RANSOM FACE-MAKER

Fred Ransom led Kayvees to victory over Y.M.C.A., scoring 10 of his team's 18 points. Twice during the contest the score was tied. Kayvees led 8 to 6 at half time. At the three-quarter mark "Y" boys were up 11 to 10. Kayvees outscored the "Y" 8 to 1 in the final quarter. Bob Macmurchie refereed. Teams and scores follow:

Dominoes—Davies 1, Baker 6, Nicot 9, Acreman 3, C. Chapman 4, Busher Jackson 12.  
T.A.C. Arrows—Goldsmith 12, R. Jackson 2, Parfitt 4, McKeechie, Dale 2, Walker 2, Mason 2, Hornsby, Hall 6.  
F.O.E.—Sparks 5, Millburn 4, Strouler 4, Patterson 12, Robinson, Wright, Davies 9.  
5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, R.C.A. R.F.—Wallace 7, Baker 6, Patterson 5, Oakley 2, Passmore 2, McKeechie 2.  
K.V.'s—Chunggranes 4, Shimizu 2, Shubrooke, Ransom 10, Kershaw 1, Straith, Hitchman, Howell 1.  
Y.M.C.A.—Towill, Syme, Wright 4, Mitchell 2, Johnstone 4, Sprinkling 2, Hay.

### GAMES TONIGHT

Three Service League games will be played this evening at the Sports Centre as follows:  
7 p.m.—Medicals vs. Composites.  
8 p.m.—Western Air Command vs. Navy.  
9 p.m.—Motorcycles vs. Royal Canadian Air Force, Patricia Bay.

### NANAIMO HOCKEY

NANAIMO—First place in the Vancouver Island Ice Hockey League was taken over by Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles here last night when they beat Nanaimo 4 to 1.

In overtime game which went into overtime, Southern Alberta Regiment tied with Victoria Duroid Raiders in second place by beating Port Alberni, 5 to 3.

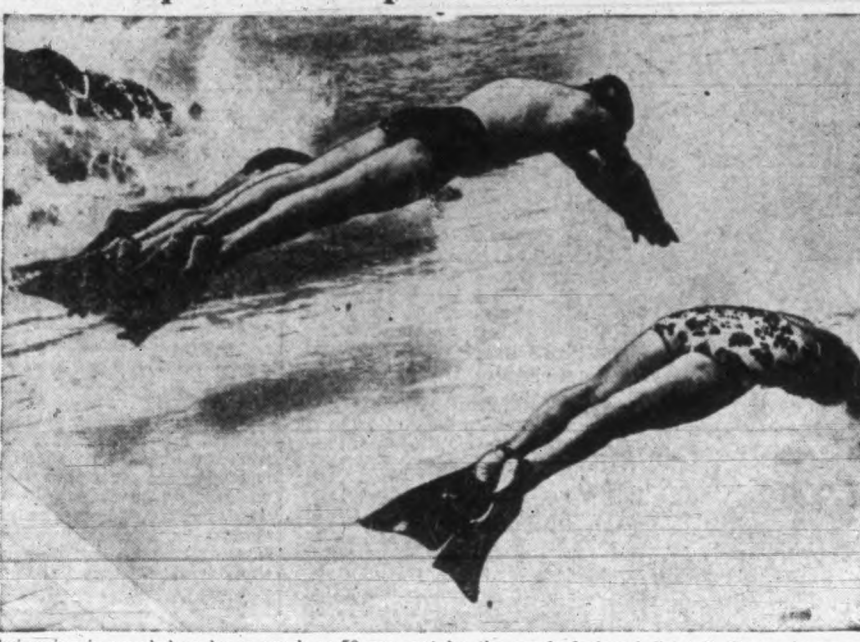
### Gets Hole in One

Another Victoria golfer in the person of W. Davenport has joined the mythical hole-in-one club. While playing over the Gorge Vale links yesterday with H. Philbrook and H. D. Mainwaring, he dropped his tee shot in the cup on the 90-yard 14th hole.

# Victoria Daily Times

Second Section Thursday, January 23, 1941 SPORT

## New Flip to Old Sport



Swimming is speeded up by as much as 50 per cent by the newly-designed fish-tail flippers worn on the feet of these swimmers, pictured diving into pool at Miami Beach, Fla.

## City Bowling Tourney Opens

Victoria's tenpin bowlers, star and duffer, will mingle at the Olympic Alleys Saturday afternoon and night for the opening of the first annual city championship tournament. All events will be run on handicap with the team match Saturday and the singles and doubles on February 1.

Fine representation from both senior and commercial leagues has assured the success of the tournament. Although the first team will take the floor at 1 Saturday afternoon, the official opening will be held at 7 in the evening, with Mayor McGavin taking part. The teams will roll three games with total pins to count.

Thirty-one teams have entered, and to the winner will go the Arcade Trophy, donated by Charles Chislett and Art Porter of the Arcade Alleys. Harry Stuart, manager of the Olympic Alleys, has announced he will give medals to the members of the winning team and also to the champions in the singles and doubles.

Ron Wilson, secretary of the Victoria Tenpin Bowling Association, sponsors of the tournament, today announced the following schedule for the team event:

1.00—Northwestern Creamery, 3.00—Gorge Hotel, Bruins, C.L. Dynamiters, Macdonald's Consolidated, Monarchs, Sussex Cafe.  
5.00—Watson's Men's Wear, Poilard's Construction Company, Sands Mortuary Limited, Y.M.C.A., Tillikum Athletic Club, Victoria Daily Times.  
7.00—The Daily Colonist, Arcades (commercial), Mercer's Grocery, Scott and Peden B, Modern Shoe Store, Straith's Limited.  
9.00—Five Roses Flour, Fletcher's No. 1, Palm Dairy Limited, Eagles, Canadians, Wanderers.  
11.00—Coach and Horses, Arcades (senior), Olympians, Poodle Dog Cafe, Begg Motor Company, Scott and Peden A.

### Freddy Wood Has Net Profit of \$7

VANCOUVER (CP)—Freddy Wood, Vancouver's golfing professional, returned yesterday from the gold-trail golf wars and said he had a net profit of \$7.00 after deducting his expenses from his winnings in California. "I wouldn't like to make a living that way," Wood commented. "It's plenty tough on you."

### Juvenile Soccer

Juvenile soccer games carded over the week-end follow:

FOURTH DIVISION  
Saturday: 10.30, James Bay vs. St. Louis College, Athletic Park; referee, P. J. Woodley.  
10.30—Cloverdale United vs. Maple Leafs, Central Park; referee, Ed Borde.  
SUNDAY  
2.30—St. Louis College vs. Gorge Aces, Heywood Avenue; referee, Norm Stewartson.  
2.30—Chinese Student's vs. Art's Shamrocks, Beacon Hill; referee, Jimmie Whittaker.

### RUGBY PRACTICE

A workout of the J.B.A.A. rugby team will be held this evening at Macdonald Park at 6.30.

### Major Ice Picture

## Canadiens Meet Leafs

### West Road Games

West Road Hall will be the scene of two Saanich and Suburban Basketball League games tomorrow night.

First game at 8 will bring together West Road girls and Sidney.

At 9, West Road seniors will play Cooney Jones' club in a men's fixture.

### BOWLING

#### OLYMPIC ALLEYS

COMMERCIAL B TENPIN LEAGUE  
Times—J. Bacon 367, J. Caddell 318, G. Robertson 494, A. Cliff 385, S. Jenkins 502, M. S. Lawson 190, handicap 7. Total 2,668.  
Tillikums—B. Barnes 493, D. Donaldson 604, W. Johnston 535, L. Colton 512, D. Hurdie 405, handicap 81. Total 2,636.  
Times two two.  
Modern Shoe Co.—T. Nute 557, F. Gross 540, A. Quinn 512, A. Spouse 465, E. Russell 480, H. Pollard 338, handicap 36. Total 2,574.  
Adams—B. Bell 463, J. O'Neil 468, B. Ludbrook 446, S. Beatty 587, W. Morat 460, handicap 123. Total 2,549.  
Modern Shoe Co. won two.

Northwestern Creameries—G. O'Neil 308, W. Fulton 354, R. Semple 483, A. Burdick 472, P. Dillabough 186, F. Norton 121, handicap 34. Total 2,612.  
Poilard Construction Co.—J. Poilard 484, G. Bird 383, E. McGee 408, L. Passmore 494, W. Pollard 471, handicap 264. Total 2,366.  
Northwestern Creameries won two.

Scott & Peden B—H. Butler 476, J. Newton 476, J. Peden 414, J. Godfrey 516, H. MacNeill 376, handicap 186. Total 2,464.  
Scott & Peden A—J. Peden 377, J. Church 464, G. Bird 383, E. McGee 408, F. Hughes 462, handicap 364. Total 2,244.  
Scott & Peden B won three.

COMMERCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE  
Gutta Percha and Rubber—A. Longley 550, B. Acres 582, K. Munn 482, C. Wallis 770, A. McBride 680, handicap 60. Total 3,145.  
K. of P.—O. Allison 477, M. B. Barry 518, H. Hume 438, T. P. Proctor 408, W. Marshall 366, handicap 267. Total 3,493.  
Gutta Percha and Rubber won two.

Tillikums—Dunc MacCaig 741, H. Anderson 447, Don McCall 545, H. McCann 558, H. Scott 551, handicap 48. Total 3,090.  
Electrics—E. Vigners 552, H. Martin 465, G. Booth 311, J. McAllister 372, F. J. Cox 190, T. Booth 592, handicap 248. Total 2,901.  
Tillikums won two.

Lucky Strikes—R. Peterson 634, K. Harrison 483, G. Creighton 754, J. Simpson 469, G. Heath 152, handicap 192. Total 3,365.  
Moore-Whittington—C. Holt 606, G. Neill 600, J. Bower 724, E. Thomas 648, low score 517, handicap 102. Total 3,208.  
Lucky Strikes won two.

Marshall's New Wood two.  
489, P. Buckler 560, L. Marshall 444, P. Scott 516, handicap 291. Total 2,808.  
Marshall's won two.  
561, Savage 705, Green 443, Thompson 548, handicap 70. Total 2,939.  
Marshall's won two.

Rapco—A. Sedgman 678, M. Doyle 504, A. Stewart 627, R. Malt 579, O. Leeming 600, J. Bower 724, E. Thomas 648, low score 517, handicap 102. Total 3,208.  
Maple Managers—D. C. Jones 377, Fred Jones 353, Murray Kean 404, Gord Rolston 388, low score 389, handicap 206. Total 2,091.  
Rapco won two.

Hudson's Bay FIVEPIN LEAGUE  
Five Little Fishes—J. Alderton 416, D. Fairall 527, O. Ashton 320, G. Wray 462, P. Finn 536, handicap 362. Total 2,628.  
Maple Managers—D. C. Jones 377, Fred Jones 353, Murray Kean 404, Gord Rolston 388, low score 389, handicap 206. Total 2,091.  
Rapco won two.

Dick Irvin served Toronto Maple Leafs faithfully and well in a sort of runner-up capacity to the more colorful Connie Smythe for many years before he branched out with a fresh new personality of his own when he took over Montreal Canadiens this season.

Now the former silent man of hockey has a chance to place his previous players and employers under considerable duress through the machinations of his sixth place Canadiens. Uncertain in National Hockey League campaigning this season, Canadiens have come and gone, in well-ordered streaks of being very good or just fair.

For the last week or so they have looked good, and that brings interest to the question of how much damage Canadiens can do to Leafs in the next few days. Leafs, pressed hard to hold their first place position, have been anything but impressive recently. They will prove at least temporarily to-night whether, in their weakened condition, they can cope with the Canadiens.

### SECOND GAME SATURDAY

Leafs meet Canadiens again Saturday night in the second of six games. Leafs must play within the next 10 days—a stern assignment for a club minus through injuries one defence-man, Jack Church, and three forwards, Hank Gaudp, Gus Marker and Don Metz. If Irvin's Canadiens knock Leafs over twice or even once in these next two games, Boston's chances of riding their present string of 12 unbeaten games right into first place look reasonably good.

Canadiens haven't beaten Leafs this season, in four games, but in the last two defeats the margin was by only one goal.

In the only other game tonight, New York Americans travel to Chicago.

## Canada's Troops Take Up Hockey

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND (CP)—Canada's Army units in England are going in for hockey in a big way, with almost 100 teams entered in a new league which they have started since the New Year.

The rink used is operated by the Y.M.C.A. and brings a real Canadian atmosphere to the defence lines. It was opened officially by Major Gen. G. R. Pearkes, 1st Division commander. The pipe band of a central Ontario Regiment and the dance band of a northern Alberta regiment were on hand for the opening ceremonies, in which Cecilia Colledge, England's foremost woman skater, took part.

Hundreds of Canadians and English girls swarmed on the ice for a session of pleasure skating. The "Y" has almost sufficient hockey skates for the games at night. The rink, which the public is allowed to use in the afternoon, has made a tremendous hit with the troops. It costs the "Y" £150 (about \$667) a week, but some of this is being met by the charge levied on civilian skaters.

Colored sweaters are provided so the army hockey teams can distinguish their teammates. Besides the skates, hockey gloves, knee pads, goal pads and sticks are available.

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# Chicago Hawks Draw Ice Fans in Amazing Numbers

## Powerful Team For Grid Game

Twenty-two huskies, averaging 175 pounds, is the formidable picture confronting Oak Bay Blue Devils when the second game in the 1941 Junior Canadian Football League schedule is played Saturday afternoon at Central Park.

That is the list of players under Coach Sid Anderson's wing, who will be carrying the colors of the National Rollers, former Dominoes grid squad, against the Blue Devils.

On paper, Nationals look like they'll be the team to beat this season. On the line-up will be such outstanding players as Don Garrison, star Revellers' half-back. Garrison was able to get under the age deadline of 21 years. Changes to the league constitution allow senior players to get in on the winter and spring junior season.

Anderson has few fears of seeing his team go down to defeat against Blue Devils. If Oak Bay shows the fight and ability it did last Saturday in taking last year's champs, Alumni, into camp, grid followers are in for an exciting afternoon though.

Signed to the team are four middle wings, four insides, five ends, one centre, two quarter-backs and six half-backs. Average weight among the backs is 180 pounds.

Here is the complete list:

Inside wings—Gus Augustine, 170; Norm Carter, 190; Len Humphries, 180; Roy Miller, 185. Middle—John Richies, 175; Don Christian, 210; Dave Crockett, 175; "Buckshot" Thomas, 175. Ends—John Bing, 185; Jack Gillies, 155; Archie Gillies, 155; Joe Bryant, 150; Larson Gray, 155.

Centre—Bob Shotton, 195. Quarter-backs—George Christison, 135; Don Garrison, 195.

Half-backs—Ed McKim, 190; Herb Alexander, 185; Ken Campbell, 190; Ralph Clarke, 190; Bill Chass, 175; Art McKim, 185.

Most of the players saw action together on the Dominoes squad last season, which did well all season up to the end when it flopped under Fairfield Blue Devils pressure.

## Wise Father in Racing Triumph

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Wise Father won the \$2,500 feature race at Santa Anita Park yesterday.

Favored in the betting, Wise Father took over the lead from Royal Crusader at the three-quarter mark of the mile and one-sixteenth event and won by a neck. Jockey Jackie Westroppe was aboard Wise Father, owned by the Circle "S" Stable.

Son of War ran third, Spanish Duke and Spanish Main completed the small field. Wise Father was timed in 1.46.25.

Wise Father paid \$3.80, \$2.40 and \$2.20; Royal Crusader \$3.20 and \$2.40, and Son of War \$2.80. Results follow:

First race—Three furlongs: Radio Joe (Gray) \$3.50 \$15.80 \$9.40; Harbinger (Adams) 8.40 5.20; Cool Off (Westroppe) 5.80 3.20. Time, 34.4-5. Also ran: Riccio, Lover's Luck, Delisada, Winsome Beau, Kinder Cuts, Carmel Point, Preview Arty, Boudica, Nutria.

Second race—Mile and a quarter: Betico (Nicholson) \$12.60 \$48.00 \$22.00; Baccus (Nevers) 2.80 2.20; Helen's Lad (Adams) 2.20 2.20. Time, 2:07. Also ran: Sportswriter, Young Hour, Cross S, My Universe.

Third race—Six furlongs: Musical Lexington (Hass) 14.40 \$3.00 \$2.40; Musical Jack (McCombs) 3.40 2.80; Scotchbraid (Corbett) 2.80 2.80. Time, 1:11.3-5. Also ran: Jack's Ann, Morris, Miss Baker, John Ousna, Black Highway, Valinda, Flash.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Barrymore (James) \$10.40 \$5.80 \$3.80; Iron Mike (Longden) 11.20 8.40; Red Jewel (Adams) 4.00 3.20. Time, 1:12.4-5. Also ran: Valley Boy, Valinda, Lancer, Count, Chet, Golden Gauding, Gallant Duke, Supreme Ideal, Five Hopeful.

Fifth race—Six furlongs: Moot Question (Longden) \$5.80 \$4.00 \$3.00; Toddie Top (Westroppe) 6.00 2.20; Valinda Boss (Pariso) 4.00 3.20. Time, 1:13. Also ran: Doll Baby, Patrol, Fitch, Turry Tom.

Sixth race—Mile and a sixteenth: Wise Father (Westroppe) \$3.80 \$2.40 \$2.20; Royal Crusader (Hass) 3.20 2.40; Son of War (Corbett) 2.80 2.80. Time, 1:46.2-5. Also ran: Spanish Main, Spanish Duke.

Seventh race—Seven furlongs: Valinda Knave (Pariso) \$18.00 \$7.20 \$5.80; First Boy (Madden) 15.20 8.40; Rita Ousna (Baskiss) 4.00 3.20. Time, 1:27.5-8. Also ran: Stella Gold, Guiding Way, Ravennette, Miss Grier, Aljo, Lady Corinna, Goodenwarm, Torch Lee, Jussip.

Eighth race—One mile: Marchenka (Skelly) \$19.60 \$10.80 \$5.40; Mark (James) 11.20 8.40; Sweet Nancy (Baskiss) 3.80 3.20. Time, 1:38.4-5. Also ran: Burgoon Trail, Allright, Ormeo, One Shen, Dave Bunny.

### Hockey Standings

|           | W. | L. | T. | F. | A. | P. | Goals |
|-----------|----|----|----|----|----|----|-------|
| Toronto   | 17 | 8  | 2  | 82 | 53 | 36 |       |
| Boston    | 12 | 7  | 9  | 94 | 70 | 33 |       |
| Detroit   | 12 | 9  | 8  | 67 | 56 | 32 |       |
| Rangers   | 10 | 13 | 7  | 80 | 78 | 27 |       |
| Chicago   | 10 | 11 | 6  | 61 | 70 | 26 |       |
| Canadiens | 10 | 15 | 3  | 66 | 78 | 23 |       |
| Americans | 6  | 14 | 7  | 49 | 94 | 19 |       |

### COAST LEAGUE

|           | W. | L. | T. | F. | A. | P. | Goals |
|-----------|----|----|----|----|----|----|-------|
| Vancouver | 13 | 14 | 4  | 88 | 77 | 30 |       |
| Seattle   | 12 | 12 | 5  | 84 | 85 | 29 |       |
| Spokane   | 13 | 11 | 3  | 65 | 63 | 29 |       |
| Portland  | 14 | 15 | 0  | 72 | 84 | 28 |       |

## Mainlanders Enter Tourney

Plans are going ahead for the staging of the annual Vancouver Island badminton championships at the Willows courts, starting January 27 and concluding February 1.

It was announced today that entries had been received from Jean Eckardt, Vess O'Shea and F. Barnard all of Vancouver. Miss Eckardt is the present junior champion of British Columbia and was runner-up in the B.C. open final last year. She has held many junior titles both in badminton and tennis.

Miss O'Shea is the present co-holder with Dick Birch, Montreal, of the Canadian mixed doubles title. She is the only B.C. player in possession of a national crown.

Entries for the tournament will close January 24. The age limit for junior entries is under 18 on January 1, 1941, with boys' and girls' singles events in this group only.

Arthur Burgess will be official referee.

## Angling Notes

Some of the angling experts who decided to stay home last week-end because the Cowichan River was "too high" for good steelhead fishing were surprised to learn that quite a number of rodmen scored successes, in spite of conditions.

Several Victorians reported luring at least one fish with Red Devon minnows.

Arthur Pitts reeled in a 14-pound beauty, while Vic Marsh and Tommy Ross, angling together, hooked one apiece. Ron Hopkins bagged one prize specimen and lost another. Bob Hawkes, enjoying his first taste at this type of freshwater fishing, caught a seven-pounder.

All persons catching Cowichan steelhead are urged to secure forms from local fishing tackle stores on which to write particulars about their catches. This information is sought by the biological station at Nanaimo, which is endeavoring to improve Cowichan fishing.

"Boots" McClure reports Sooke Harbor is harboring some fine, large springs these days. He caught a 25-pounder on a recent trip in those waters and lost another. Indians fishing in the harbor have done well. Martin plugs are successful.

Oak Bay waters are also offering springs. Nil Leith took out three, 16 to 18 pounds, recently, using a Martin No. 4 1/2 plug.

## Lowly Staceys Win

VANCOUVER (CP)—A last quarter rally gave Staceys a 43 to 42 win over Varsity, Intercity Basketball League leaders, here last night.

Staceys, the league cellar dwellers, held the Varsity squad to one basket and two free throws during the final frame while they collected 11 points.

Bob Wilson and Bill Anderson led the victor's scoring drive. Wilson counted 11 points during the game and Anderson 10.

## Club Expects Season Mark Of 321,000

CHICAGO (AP)—Fifth in the standings but first at the box office. That sums up the gold-leafed, amazing story of this city's National Hockey League entry—the Black Hawks.

In 14 home games the team has drawn 196,925 spectators who paid approximately \$235,000 to watch those 14 games. Only one of the 11 Sunday, holiday and opening night crowds fell below the 15,



## Labor Council Elects Officers

New president of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council succeeding T. F. Fox, is Nicholas Robertson.

Mr. Robertson was elected to the office at the annual meeting of the council last night.

Cedric Hemstall was chosen vice-president, and E. Belton, secretary-treasurer. W. J. Hooper was named sergeant-at-arms.

Committee chairmen were elected as follows: Organization committee, E. Belton; press com-



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mittee, N. Robertson; legislative committee, Charles Chivers; building trades committee, G. R. Barbour.

A letter of protest was drafted for the Trades and Labor Congress against intrusion of the Vancouver council into territory under control of the Victoria council. Members claimed Vancouver council was urging workers on government projects in the Nanaimo and Alberni districts to join its organization.

A recommendation was passed that the Unemployment Insurance Act be amended to include all workers, and that the insurance be paid out of the income tax rather than by a separate tax, as was the present plan. Such in-

surance was a state obligation, members felt.

Free dental treatment for all public school students will be advocated in letters to the Department of Education. City school board will be asked to set aside allowance covering the plan in their report to the estimate committee.

Reports were given on expansion of the painters', carpenters' and electricians' unions. It was also reported that two new locals were expected to join the council in the near future.

## Nanaimo Girl Starred in Ballet

NEW YORK (CP) — Col. de Basil's Russian Ballet, on the eve of its eastern Canadian tour, is honoring the memory today of Anna Pavlova, world famous ballerina, who died suddenly on January 23, 1931, in Brussels, while on tour.

Ballet enthusiasts in Manhattan, who still retain vivid memories of the "incomparable Pavlova," attended a special performance of the Russian ballet at which Adelina Genie, of Ottawa, one-time friend of the great dancer, and herself a noted dancer, spoke. Mme. Genie is president of the British Royal Academy of Dancing.

Three Canadian members of the ballet took part in the memorial program. They were Betty Low of Ottawa, Jean Hunt of Nanaimo, B.C., and Robert Bell of Montreal, who are listed on the program under Russian names—Miss Low as Ludmila Lvova, Miss Hunt as Kira Boukina and Mr. Bell as Boris Belsky.

\*Miss Hunt, a vivacious young ballerina of 16, is the youngest member of the company. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hunt of Nanaimo, B.C.

## FAIR NORTH EFFORT

EDMONTON (CP) — Five white women at Fort Simpson in the Northwest Territories are doing "their bit" in the war effort. Mrs. H. G. Cook, wife of the Anglican clergyman at the substance, said in an interview here today. Last summer \$250 was raised for the Red Cross and a Christmas party and bridge had raised \$100.

## At Opening of New Naval Club



Commodore W. J. R. Beech speaking at the opening of the new Naval Recreation Club yesterday. On the left is W. T. Straith, M.P.P., representing the Y.M.C.A. war services committee, and on the right, Mrs. W. B. Holmes, founder and president of the club; His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, who formally opened it, and Mrs. Hamber.



This informal group caught by the Times photographer shows Mrs. A. Earl Godfrey, wife of Air Commodore Godfrey, chatting with Mrs. Hamber (back to camera) and Mrs. W. B. Holmes. At the back is Mr. Straith and Commodore Beech; and at the right is King's Scout Duff Macdonell, leader of the 3rd Victoria Troop, who was given the honor of acting as an A.D.C. to the Lieutenant-Governor.

Nearly 500 friends of the institution, including many members of pioneer families who recalled delightful gatherings held in its hospitable walls in bygone days, attended the formal opening of the new Naval Recreation Club at "Bryden House," Head Street, yesterday afternoon by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

The ballroom was filled to overflowing for the more formal part of the proceedings, which took place from a platform in the window embrasure, which was draped with flags and bunting. Seated with His Honor and Mrs. Hamber were Mrs. W. B. Holmes, the club founder and president, Commodore and Mrs. W. J. R. Beech and W. T. Straith, M.P.P., chairman of the Y.M.C.A. war service committee. In attendance on His Honor and Mrs. Hamber were Lieut.-Commander C. E. Donaldson, R.C.N.V.R., and Mrs. Mae Rice.

Mrs. Holmes, in welcoming His Honor and Mrs. Hamber and the many guests, spoke of the opening as the happy climax of three months' of unremitting work, attesting to the generous co-operation of the committee, the Naval Dockyard and Barracks, the Y.M.C.A. and many generous well-wishers. She noted that the club was designed primarily for naval ratings, but expressed the hope that men of the other two services would be brought in as guests to enjoy its amenities.

## TRIBUTE TO NAVY

His Honor in formally declaring the club open, expressed the admiration of the effort made by Mrs. Holmes and her fellow-workers to provide much-needed recreational facilities for the naval ratings. He paid warm tribute to the gallant work of all those who go down to the sea in ships, including the Canadian Navy, the Royal Navy, the mercantile marine, minesweepers and all the other splendid men who were helping to guard Britain and Canada and keeping the seaways open. In conclusion he again urged everyone to support the war savings campaign and thus contribute to Canada's war effort.

## Billy Edwards Takes Last Count

DALLAS, Tex. (AP)—Villainous Billy Edwards, a side-burned old wrestling figure of 51 years who pioneered in mat hokum by taking a punch at Jack Dempsey just for the fun of it, ended a violent, 32-year career in a country hospital yesterday.

The squat and bald heavy-weight who rose from circus sawdust to the original mat meanie, died in a Hillsboro hospital 32 hours after his automobile had collided head-on with a truck.

paigned and thus contribute to Canada's war effort.

Commodore Beech in accepting the club on behalf of the navy, thanked His Honor for his address and Mrs. Holmes and her assistants for their kindly and active interest in the welfare of the navy.

Mr. Straith spoke briefly of the Y.M.C.A. and its war service work and expressed the organization's pleasure in being able to be of service to the navy by setting aside some of its funds to assist in carrying on the club.

Capt. the Rev. Arthur Bischoffberger and Capt. the Rev. A. B. Wood, naval chaplains, pronounced short prayers of dedication.

TEA SERVED  
After the formal part of the proceedings tea was served, the special guests adjourning to the canteen where Mrs. E. V. Finland and Mrs. L. A. Genge presided at the flower-centred tea table.

The other guests were served in the ballroom and spacious entrance hall, where great glowing fires enhanced the cosy atmosphere, and the many members of the club committee, wearing their attractive delft blue and white overalls, made efficient waitresses.

The naval orchestra, ensconced on the balcony at the head of the stairs, played an attractive program of music throughout the tea interlude.

A silver collection afforded many visitors an opportunity of expressing their tangible interest in the work of the club, the proceeds amounting to the handsome sum of \$110.

## INSPECT QUARTERS

Prior to the formal opening, His Honor and Mrs. Hamber inspected the premises, expressing their admiration of the home-like atmosphere. Downstairs is the ballroom, canteen, library; and upstairs is a spacious reading and writing room, complete with comfortable chintz-covered chesterfields and chairs, a large room for billiards and another for such games as table tennis, in addition to cloakrooms and other facilities.

Basal skull fractures and internal injuries caused his death. Old Billy, a glowering, conviving figure in the ring who was the greatest wrestling attraction the southwest ever knew, was really a gentle guy.

Just a misunderstood showman, insisted the multitude of friends of this cauliflowered veteran of at least 1,000 matches. Sweet William panicked the sports world several years back with the famed Dempsey incident. The Mapassa Mauler, who had just been retired by Gene Tunney, came into Dallas on a barnstorming tour as a wrestling referee.

## URNS ON JACK

Smack in the middle of the Ed-

wards match, with 5,000 jammed into the old Fair Park livestock pavilion, Edwards suddenly stopped gnawing and beating on his opponent and turned on Dempsey.

Viciously he ripped off Dempsey's shirt and then planted a mild right on the former champ's ear. Just a little showmanship, you know. But Dempsey misunderstood.

He countered with a crushing blow that landed full on Edwards' rather prominent proboscis.

The old wrestler crumpled to the floor—came back into this world some 20 minutes later.

"Had to eat soup for three days," he grinned later. "Just couldn't chew. But what a gag!"

TORONTO (CP) — Harry Tobin, president of the Canadian Bowling Association, said last night that 20 Canadian teams are scheduled to participate in the American Bowling Congress opening at St. Paul, Minn., March 13.

Seventeen teams from western Canada, mostly Manitoba; two from Toronto and one from Montreal, will make the trip for which the ABC made arrangements with the Foreign Exchange Control Board, Tobin said. The Canadians will be limited to taking no more than \$20 each with them.

## Camera-eye for Baseball Games

NEW YORK—That man is here again, folks. You know, the fellow who is plotting to mechanize baseball. Already Ray Dumont has the game so you practically can run it from a switchboard, and now he has something else up his sleeve. A camera, no less. Dumont is the futuristic young man who originated and nursed along the National Sempio Baseball Congress to its present state of well-being, and he overlooks no new stunt which might lure customers.

He started these innovations rather modestly with an automatic home plate duster in 1939 to relieve the umpire of the bends. In 1940 he adopted the leaping microphone to pipe player-umpire arguments to the fans.

This year he will try a magic eye umpire on balls and strikes, although what will happen if the eye falls asleep and fails to catch a ball coming over the plate is open to question. Probably a balk on the contraption.

Anyway, Dumont already has

designed his 1942 improvements. They include a photo-finish camera to catch plays at home plate so that when some outfielder comes tearing down the stretch, carrying 185 pounds, there will be no argument over a nose finish.

## UNDERGROUND

The camera will be concealed under the ground. In fact, that Wichita park will offer a strange sight when someone accidentally punches all the buttons at once and all the buried contraptions leap up at the same time.

When a runner starts from third for home the button-puncher goes into action and the camera rises to record everything that happens within 10 feet of home plate.

On close plays, Dumont says, the films will be developed immediately, and at the feature night games the lights in the park will be turned off and the pictures projected, in slow motion, on a huge screen in the outfield.

Dumont admits that, for all the trouble involved, the showing of the pictures probably won't change an umpire's decision. Pictures or no pictures, an umpire always is right, isn't he? Or isn't he.

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## GETS ONE MONTH

James Charlebois was sentenced to one month in jail for making statements likely to be prejudicial to the efficient prosecution of the war by Magistrate Henry Hall in City Police Court this morning. Charlebois pleaded guilty to the charge yesterday.

Magistrate Hall said he had had time to consider representations made by accused and found there was something to be said for him.

"During the course of an argument you had been drinking. Your words were not really intended the way they were taken. However, the words were said. . . I think that words in a discussion of this kind are not as serious as deliberate intent to carry out action detrimental to the war. In view of your frank statement now and in view of the fact there was this argument, which you now regret, I shall sentence you to one month in jail," Magistrate Hall said.

## Soldiers Enjoy Variety Program

A capacity audience showed their appreciation by enthusiastically cheering each number of a concert arranged by Miss Bette Clair and given at the Y.M.C.A. Hut at Macaulay. So enthusiastically was the audience that a return engagement was promised in the near future. The program was as follows: Song and dance, "Galloping Major," Vivien Notley, Joan Bradley, Do-reen McManus and Joan Hume; songs, the Three Rhythmettes; Spanish song and dance, Audrey Brown; ventriloquism, Joy Merriman and Mary Kingsley; tap dance, Betty Speirs; accordion solos, Ernest Fullerton; sailor song and dance, Enid Middleton; comedy song and dance, Iris Brooks; cowboy songs and yodeling, with Art Brookman and his guitar; Jerry Schofield was accompanist. The dancers were pupils of Miss Bette Clair.

## Boiler Factory For Horn Tooters

A day in a boiler factory is suggested by the American Automobile Association as a suitable punishment for chronic horn blowers.

In a letter to the Victoria club, the A.A.A. headquarters says: "For many years A.A.A. clubs have warred against the nuisance of unnecessary horn blowing, but the inveterate tooter is still making his presence forcibly known in the traffic streams."

"Hotel groups, in particular, have been active in seeking abatement of indiscriminate use of horns, since guests who have been kept awake into the far reaches of the night by traffic din are not among the most satisfied customers."

"The result of these anti-noise efforts has been the adoption by a number of cities of anti-noise ordinances, most of which provide fines for motorists blowing their horns unnecessarily or after a certain hour."

"All too often horns are blown long and loudly for the purpose of attracting the attention of someone inside a building or merely to express annoyance at a traffic delay. The chronic horn tooter should bear in mind, like Macbeth, they are murdering sleep—and look what happened to him!"

## ICELAND STAR HERE

Maria Markham, famous Icelandic soprano, who has been spending some time in Vancouver, left for the mainland today after a few days' holiday in Victoria. With Mrs. A. B. Graham of Vancouver, she was a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Miss Markham will sing in Vancouver next week with Richard Crooks. Two weeks ago she was guest soloist at a concert of the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Sir Ernest Macmillan of Toronto.

"I have had a lovely, quiet holiday in beautiful Victoria, and I hope to come again," Miss Markham said before she left on the afternoon boat for Vancouver.

Robert Currie, of the fishboat Whole Storm, reported to police he found an eight-foot square stern skiff with no oars or oarlocks, painted grey, at Chatham Island yesterday, where it had been blown ashore. He moored it near the Bapco Paint Company wharf.

## Total Strength Will Win War

In fighting this total war side by side with the rest of the Empire not only the total strength of the fighting forces is needed but also the total strength of the country's economic and production forces and the total strength of the courage, energy, resolution and intelligence of each and every Canadian, states Lieut. Col. James Mess of Toronto, president of the association of Canadian Clubs, who is in the city today.

"Everyone who calls himself a Canadian is in this war to the hilt," said Col. Mess in an interview at the Empress Hotel. "The instant we forget this fundamental fact we are playing straight into the hand of the remorseless Nazi, and disaster, certain disaster, for ourselves and all we hold dear yawns ahead of us."

"Every Canadian is in this war equally with the gallant lads of the army and navy and the intrepid knights of the air."

"Those of us who haven't the privilege of wearing the khaki, the dark blue and the sky blue must view ourselves as the army behind the army."

Duty and discipline, said Col. Mess, must prevail if we are to keep faith with those who are in the actual theatre of war or hope to be soon.

The subject of Col. Mess' talk before the Canadian Club tonight and before the Women's Canadian Club tomorrow is "The Army Behind the Army."

Paramount in the duties of Canadians, he said, was that of being propagandists.

"We should and must be propagandists every waking hour, propagandists of the pattern given us by Winston Churchill . . . spreaders of truth and an implacable will to win."

The next four or five months will be a most serious period for Canada and the Empire, in the opinion of the Canadian Club president.

Canada would not be found wanting in giving aid to the Mother Country in her titanic fight to preserve the democratic way of life.

The workers of the country hold the solution to the war debt problem, according to Col. Mess. The problem of paying the war debts which Canada will accumulate in prosecuting the war, he says, could easily be solved if the wage earners of the country devoted two hours' pay each day for the alleviation of the financial burden.

Col. Mess estimates there are 3,000,000 gainful workers in Canada.

On the basis of an average wage of 50 cents per hour, these men and women could give \$3,000,000 per day, practically \$1,000,000,000 yearly, toward the war effort.

Noting the tremendous war activity throughout the country, Col. Mess paid tribute to all those who are contributing to the successful prosecution of the war effort in Canada, particularly eulogizing the work of women in every endeavor.

Speed enthusiasts may be given the opportunity to see a motorcycle speed record attempt here around the end of February.

Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau received a letter from Nicholson Bros., distributors of English and American makes of motorcycles in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, today asking for information regarding straight stretches of beach or road in Victoria or vicinity.

The motorcycle people wrote: "We have been preparing a machine for attempting some motorcycle speed records. We will need a beach or highway about two and a half miles in length, fairly smooth and from 30 to 40 feet wide."

If there is a stretch of road suitable and permission is given, the speed trials will be run near the end of February.

Officials of the bureau are referring the request to the chiefs of police of the city and municipalities.

Lillian Cooper was sentenced to six months in jail by Magistrate Henry C. Hall in Saanich Police Court this afternoon on a charge of being in possession of Communist literature in quantity, contrary to the Defence of Canada Regulations.

Miss Cooper was found guilty on the charge last week and was remanded for sentence until today.

In passing sentence Magistrate Hall said he had taken into consideration Miss Cooper was a young woman and it was her first offence.

## TOWN TOPICS

In City Police Court today only two motorists, overpackers, were fined. They paid \$2.50 each.

The Y.M.C.A. Red Triangle Concert Party will give a program tomorrow evening at 8 at the Otter Point Military Camp.

The Real Estate Board will hold a luncheon meeting at Spencer's at 12.15 tomorrow. Rental control and the Shiros report will be discussed.

Clearings in the city for the week ended today were \$1,944,409, Victoria Clearing House officials report. Clearings for the corresponding period of last year were \$1,608,432.

Appointment of Aldermen D. D. McTavish and W. H. Davies to the Victoria Police Commission this year was given the approval of the provincial government by executive order today.

Class "A" Drivers' Association will hold a special meeting in the British Public School Boys' Club, Langley Street, tonight at 8 to which class "B" and "C" drivers have been invited to attend.

William Daley, Albany Hotel, reported to police last night that while he was away yesterday someone stole a \$25 radio from his room. Police found a pass-key had been used on the door.

The Victoria Music Teachers' Association's tea and musical will be held on Saturday afternoon at the Y.W.C.A. Mrs. Gladys Hick is convener of the program which will begin at 3 o'clock. The tea is being arranged by Miss Noel Smith, Miss Marie George and Miss Florence Phillimore, and the home-cooking staff will be in charge of Miss Marjorie Tebo.

Annual general meeting of the St. John Ambulance Association, Victoria Centre, will be held in Room 214, Pemberton Building, Monday, January 27, at 8. Business will include presentation of the financial statement for the year, election of officers for 1941, and a general report will be given of the work accomplished by this branch of St. John Ambulance Association for the year 1940.

At the meeting of St. Ann's Alumnae held on Tuesday evening, with the president, Miss Gerry Murray, in the chair, it was reported that a cheque had been sent to the Lord Mayor's Fund.

It was decided to hold a candy sale at St. Ann's Academy on January 31, those in charge being Mrs. M. O'Connell, Misses G. Murray, V. Neary and P. Doherty. Plans were also made to hold a telephone bridge from February 7 to 17. Miss Betty Brady and Miss Gerry Murray will be in charge.

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**VICTORIAN HONORED**—Collin B. Mooney, branch manager of the North American Life Assurance Company here, was elected provincial vice-president for British Columbia of the Life Underwriters' Association of Canada at the annual meeting held recently in Toronto.

## City Hall Briefs

## Will Demolish Old Structures

The city health committee, under the chairmanship of Alderman John A. Worthington, yesterday started its tour of dilapidated houses in Victoria, framing recommendations for the demolition of the majority of 28 premises inspected during the afternoon.

Other structures will be viewed next Wednesday when the inspection trip will be resumed.

With members of the committee were Dr. Richard Felton, medical health officer; Thomas Lancaster, sanitary inspector, and E. S. Groop, his assistant.

In some instances owners were advised their structures could be maintained provided they made repairs to them.

Arrangements for a public meeting of representatives from Victoria's industrial and manufacturing plants to discuss war industries with R. W. Mayhew, M.P., were arranged for Monday afternoon at 3. The meeting will be held in the City Council Chamber.

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## OBITUARY

**WARD**—William Arthur (Billy) Ward, 70, whose life was a page in the history of the West Kootenay district, is dead at his Outlet Hotel, which he had operated since 1914 at Proctor, 20 miles east of Nelson. He was construction worker, teamster, prospector, miner, survey worker, saloon worker, hotelman and sportsman during his pioneer life in the Kootenay.

**FISHER**—The funeral was held yesterday afternoon of Richard Charles Fisher. Rev. F. Comley officiated. Interment was at Colwood, with the following as pallbearers: T. Raper, H. Massey, T. Fisher, J. Fisher, P. Cummins and J. Fletcher. S. J. Curry and Son had charge of arrangements.

**HOOPER**—Many friends were present yesterday afternoon at the funeral of Mrs. Sarah Hooper. Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse conducted the service. Interment was at Ross Bay Cemetery. The following acted as pallbearers: Francis Hooper, Thomas Hooper, Paul Hooper, A. R. Kerr, E. S. Mitchell and C. Gill. S. J. Curry and Son had charge of arrangements.

**SMITH**—Funeral service was held in Vancouver today for Dr. Robert Henry Smith, 69, one-time mayor of Moose Jaw and formerly prominent in Saskatchewan political life. A native of St. Catharines, Ont., he studied medicine at University of Toronto and took post-graduate studies in London before moving to Weyburn, Sask., in 1903. He became mayor of that Prairie city in 1910 and represented Moose Jaw in the Saskatchewan legislature from 1929 until 1934.

**BROWN**—Funeral service was held yesterday afternoon in Christ Church Cathedral for Miss Edith Brown, Rev. J. R. Fife officiating. J. A. MacDonald, formerly French professor at the University of Saskatchewan and now of Vancouver, represented that institution at the service. Interment was at Colwood, with the following, all graduates of the University of Saskatchewan, as pallbearers: J. I. Rutley, A. W. La Croix, H. M. Farnon and J. O. Johnson. McCall Bros. had charge of arrangements.

**MILLER**—Rev. Dr. W. C. West conducted the funeral of Baby Diana Phoebe Miller from McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon. Interment at Colwood.

**BASHFORD**—Funeral service was held in Vancouver today for Albert Bashford, aged 55, who lived at 1171 Newport Avenue, prior to his departure for Vancouver 18 months ago. He leaves his widow and one daughter, Beryl, in Victoria, and another daughter, Avis, in Ottawa.

**SUDDABY**—Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns conducted last rites for Mrs. Elizabeth Hall Suddaby yesterday afternoon at Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel, after which the remains were cremated at Royal Oak. The following were the pallbearers: R. W. Mayhew, M.P., representing the Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King; H. D. Patterson, G. L. Foulkes, G. W. Douglas, Alexander Watson and C. W. O'Neill (Duncan).

**NORRIS**—Canon F. A. P. Chadwick conducted the private funeral of Harry Francis Norris from Haywards B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon. The following were the pallbearers: George Hall, E. D. Todd, H. J. Pendray, George Miller, C. L. Aylard and F. E. Norris. Interment at Colwood.

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## Teacher Pension Rates Announced

The scale of contributions to be made by teachers under the new Teachers' Pension Act passed at the last session of the Legislature was approved by government order today.

Contributions are based on the amount necessary to build up each \$10 unit of retirement annuity from the time an employee commences work. Retirement ages are 65 for male teachers and 60 for females.

Men joining the scheme at age 20 must contribute \$1.82 per month for each \$10 of annuity. The rate increases for successive ages. If a man joins the scheme at 50 years old he must pay \$7.27 per month to build up his fund.

For women teachers the scale starts at \$2.21 per month at age 20, increasing in a similar ratio. The scale is based on 10 monthly payments per year since teachers get their year's salary in 10 instalments, with none during the summer holidays.

In addition to the retirement annuity provided by the employee, the employer, which is the government or the local school board, is also assessed to make up a fund that adds to the final pension. This amounts to \$30 a month after a minimum of 20 years' service, with an additional \$1 a month for each extra year of service.

Thus, a teacher who buys himself three \$10 units of annuity, would obtain after 30 years of service, a pension of \$70 a month.

## UNDERSTATE COSTS TO GET LOW TAXES

It is the practice of contractors, on the instruction of their clients, to list the value of homes at below the actual construction cost when securing building permits, John A. Pollard, contractor, informed Judge H. H. Shandley in County Court today.

That course was taken, the contractor explained, in an effort to secure lower taxes for new home builders and was followed generally.

The remark was made during Mr. Pollard's action against Wm. G. S. George, in which the contractor seeks to collect \$264.87 allegedly due him on a home he built for the defendant.

Judgment was reserved.

## Fairfield United

The annual meeting of the Fairfield United Church, taking the form of a supper gathering, was held in the church hall Tuesday night. Reports submitted during the meeting revealed favorable results from all departments during 1940.

Rev. N. J. Crees, pastor, presided at the meeting with J. Johnston acting as secretary. For the first time in three years a small surplus in finances was reported by treasurer Robert Hubbard. Other reports were received from the Women's Association, the Women's Missionary Society and affiliated associations, the choir, the C.G.I.T. and the Sunday school.

The following officers were elected: Board of session, Mr. Fuber, J. Johnston, Mrs. W. Firth and Mrs. L. K. Moon; board of stewards, Miss J. Richards, Mrs. L. Benson, C. A. Fields, A. E. Schroeder, T. A. McMahon and George Dyson.

## Spring Assizes Here March 10

Spring criminal assize court sitting in Victoria will open March 10, it was announced at the Legislative Buildings this morning. The fall assizes will start October 14.

Vancouver sittings are listed for March 3 and September 8, Nanaimo for April 8 and October 20.

## Overnight Entries At Santa Anita

First race—Three furlongs: El Ouma 120, Liberty Lad 120, Justice Court 120, Pan Time 120, Pie Pico 120, Hubbs 120, Night Raider 120, Blue Pennant 120, Box-horns Jr. 120, Long Pride 120, Wilkes Stand 120, Espero 120, T. Bar 120, Stepsome 120, Crystal Chimes 120, Sunny Jack 120.

Second race—Mile and a sixteenth: Slippy 120, Servant Maid 102, Dixie Dew 114, Guaymas 112, Gay Mate 103, Guiding Way 111.

Third race—Six furlongs: Blow Gla 108, Bill's Sister 108, Clipper 112, Hedy 108, Dreamland 108, Loyalty 114, Tiger Whisk 111, Sun Ginger 114.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Bald Shot 115, Rocco 114, Scotch Braid 112, Easy Does It 107, Tenuous 110, Colonel 108, Attabunny 103, Old Whiskey 110, Indisposed 118, Chalmers 110, Lady Thirteenth 105, Mananilla 109, Air Speed 107, Dixie Man 115, Chief Nadi 120, Progress 108.

Fifth race—Seven furlongs: Don Lin 112, Sea Witch 108, Sherville 115, Zebbedee 108, Sustainer 117, Torea 103, Tradition 113, Herocrest 112, King Torch 120.

Sixth race—One mile: Isometric 108, Nacsa 115, Flying Streak 112, Time Counts 108, Port's Cap 120, Swain 120, Valinda Groom 112, Strong Arm 117, Roman Governor 114, Kanana 111, Stimady 120, Designer 106, Port 107, Valinda Myth 114.

Seventh race—Mile and a sixteenth: Shasta Racket 112, Treasure Isle 109, More 112, Lady's Son 109, Policy Lady 103, Stirling 114, Sir Stratton 106, Patrick B. 114, Tyne 111, Orea 106, Wat-uss 104, Danfield 109.

Eighth race—One mile: Glimock 112, Slave Song 103, Sabroso 122, Broke 105, Miss Annie 108, Valinda Bob 109, Little Long 114, Hard Lu 102, Drift Along 106, Pescadero 116, Clarion Call 111.

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## Letters to the Editor

## AN OFFER

To the Editor:—Following my contention that Victorians are suffering from insularity and parochialism, and my further contention that Victoria is not getting fair treatment from the B.C. Electric Company in electric light and power rates and modernized street cars, I have just learned on good authority that Vancouver has just received an addition of five up-to-date modernized cars.

I now contend that Victorians are entitled to learn all about them by having at least one of them brought and ran over here at a cost of about \$75 for freight, which I am willing to pay if need be.

JOHN DEAN.

## New Companies

Nine new British Columbia companies were incorporated during the last week, including one Victoria firm, Island Greyhound Ltd., with a capitalization of \$25,000.

Other incorporations: Spuzzum Lumber Co. Ltd., \$50,000, Vancouver.

Kuneken Bros. Ltd., \$5,000, Vancouver.

Spruce Creek Placers Ltd., 10,000 shares, Vancouver.

Spencer, Lawrence and Cameron Ltd., \$10,000, Vancouver.

Oyster Bay Towing Co. Ltd., 100 shares, Vancouver.

Home Securities Ltd., \$10,000, Vancouver.

Western and Okanagan Credits Ltd., \$10,000, Vancouver.

C. and H. Logging Co. Ltd., \$30,000, Nanaimo.

Three red lamps were damaged last night at 8.20 when a car in charge of Joseph Hudlin, 1319 1/2 Broad Street, struck a barricade around an excavation of the City Water Works Department on Douglas Street, just north of Discovery Street.

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### Announcements

**DEATHS**  
IRVINE—Earl William Irvine passed away in Seattle, Washington, January 22. The late Mr. Irvine was born in Victoria, aged 40, son of Mrs. Florence Irvine and the late William Irvine, Cedar Hill. He is survived by his mother, three brothers, Charles, Douglas and Douglas Hill, Kenneth, Oakland, Calif., two sisters, Mrs. J. G. Drew, San Francisco, and Mrs. L. Glavin, Victoria. Funeral announcement later.

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And there's Mary Martin, that charming and talented Broadway musical comedy star. She sings the song that she made famous and that made her famous in turn, "My Heart Belongs to Daddy," as only Mary can sing it. It's the finale to a swell picture in which she's accompanied by the cast and the Merrie Abbott dancers.

## 'Reuter's' Opens at Dominion Tomorrow

A picture as timely and exciting as the latest news bulletin comes tomorrow to the Dominion Theatre when Warner Bros. "A Dispatch From Reuters" starring Edward G. Robinson, starts its local run. The screen has brought to the front the stories of many famous people but never before has it revealed the tale of a person so widely heard of, but so little known.

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## 2 HIT TUNES IN SMART MUSICAL

Two new hit tunes will be introduced to the public with the showing today at the Cadet Theatre of "Two Girls on Broadway," streamlined musical featuring Lana Turner, Joan Blondell and George Murphy in a story of three smalltown hoosers who crash the Big Time.

The songs comprise "My Wonderful One Let's Dance," written by Nacio Herb Brown, Arthur Freed and Roger Edens, and "Broadway's Still Broadway," by Harry Revel and Ted Fetter.

## MENJOU PLAYS DRAMATIC ROLE

Long recognized as one of the screen's most versatile actors, Adolphe Menjou has the most dramatic role of his brilliant career in "A Bill of Divorcement," now at the Oak Bay Theatre. The distinguished actor is cast as a pitiable figure of a man who returns home after a prolonged illness to find his wife has divorced him and loves another, and his daughter is fearful of his presence.

Maureen O'Hara, Fay Bainter and Herbert Marshall are co-stars with Menjou in this powerful, emotional drama by Clemence Dane.

## 'HAUNTED HOUSE' NEWSPAPER YARN

Prior to starting work in Monogram's "Haunted House," a comedy-drama with a newspaper background, scheduled to open today at the Plaza Theatre, young Jackie Moran and Marcia Mae Jones spent several days going through the plant of the Los Angeles Times attaining all the newspaper atmosphere possible. The purpose of this was to gain practical knowledge, thereby enabling them to give realistic performances.

George Cleveland plays Henshaw, the editor of the paper on which Jackie works. The role of Mrs. Henshaw is taken by Jessie Arnold.

## YORK THEATRE

"Mein Kampf," the history of Hitler's crimes against the German people and the civilized world, now showing at the York Theatre, traces the rise to power of the Nazis in gripping scenes of murder and intrigue. The heroism of the Austrian Chancellor Dollfuss in the face of death, and the brutal party murder of Roehm are two of the incidents pictured with the stark realism for which British films are famous. Accompanying "Mein Kampf" on the bill is an exciting story, "Mercy Plane," starring James Dunn.

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## TENOR CROOKS KEPT A DIARY

When Richard Crooks, famous tenor of the Metropolitan Opera Association, sang his way around the world last year, Mr. Crooks kept a diary. In view of Mr. Crooks' forthcoming appearance here in recital, on January 29, a page or two from that interesting document might not be amiss.

"Honolulu, April 19—Concerts . . . one broadcast . . . marvelous time swimming, sailing, motoring. All interviews, appointments on beach. Practically lived on beach—surfing."

"Sailed May 1, Ss. Monterey . . . carried small piano . . . rehearsed tour programs every morning . . . afternoons deck sports . . . evenings always bridge!"

"May 6—Pago-Pago, Samoa Islands . . . wonderful tropical islands. Had motor trip around island through gorgeous tropical vegetation. All Americans are naval officers and wives. Invited them all to boat for cocktails. Dick sang for them on boat. No piano on island."

"May 9—Spent day at Suva, Fiji Islands. Motored around island, swam and gave 15-minute broadcast for islanders for benefit of Fiji Medical Association. (The Carnegie Foundation thereupon made him an honorary doctor.)"

"May 12—Auckland, N.Z. . . . Wonderful welcome. Reception at hotel . . . interviews . . . received many callers. Concert 13th . . . packed house, ovation. Huge reception at hotel afterwards. . . . 14th motored to Rotorua (Maori reserve). Picnicked on way, visited reserve. Natives greeted Dick joyfully, gave him concert. He sat on floor and sang with them. Returned Auckland. "May 30—Arrived Melbourne"

newsreel, photos, interviews, huge crowd at station . . . old friends, etc. Gave interviews, showed clothes, had morning tea, luncheon, afternoon tea for reporters. Place banked with flowers."

## MESQUITEERS IN NEW BORDER FILM

Fans of Republic's "Three Mesquiteers" will go to the Rio Theatre today to see "Oklahoma Renegades," latest of the series starring that intrepid trio, Bob Livingston, Raymond Hatton and Duncan Renaldo.

In this latest adventure, the Mesquiteers return to Oklahoma at the close of the Spanish American war, in which they participated, and decide to stake out homesteads, taking advantage of a government offer giving preference to war veterans.

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A total of 60 automobiles all antedating 1918 had to be assembled by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer for "Boom Town," the fast-action drama of oil fields now at the Atlas Theatre with Clark Gable, Spencer Tracy, Claudette Colbert and Hedy Lamarr in the stellar roles. The old cars were collected because the first part of the picture is laid in 1918, 1919 and 1920.

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#### Greek's Deed Showed Kindness of Heart

If you were captured in war and were told to lead the enemy to a secret place, what would you do?

That was a problem which faced a young Frenchman, Cpl. Laroix, last spring. He was captured by the Germans and was ordered to lead them to the outpost to which he belonged.

Fearing death if he did not obey the order, the Frenchman led the enemy soldiers toward the outpost. There were not many Germans, but they hoped to take the French by surprise and thus capture the outpost.



All seemed to be going well until the party came within shouting distance of the French. At that moment Laroix called out a warning to his friends.

A volley met the Nazi troops. Their leader was slain, and his men were captured. Laroix himself was wounded, but not mortally. He was given hospital care and was hailed as a hero.

Another war story came from Albania during the past holiday season. At Christmas time, we are told, a large number of taxicabs reached a Greek camp. Each of the cabs was loaded down with presents for the soldiers.

One driver began to think of the Italian soldiers not far distant, and worried lest they should be having no presents at all. He wanted to take one load to the enemy camp!

Permission was obtained, and a flag of truce was hoisted above the cab. The driver headed for the enemy lines and reached them. To the amazed Italians he delivered the gifts, then turned around and returned to the Greek camp.

That strange story makes me think of several things. One is the feeling which the Italian people probably have about the present war. When I was traveling in Italy before the war started, the people did not seem warmly in favor of Nazi Germany. There are reasons to believe that the Italians would rather have joined the French and the British than to have taken Hitler's side.

As it turned out, they had no choice. They were told by Mussolini to work and wait for orders. When the orders came to join Hitler, they obeyed, but it does not seem they liked the idea.

Another thought is about the kindness of the human heart. That Greek taxicab driver had a wish to be kind at Christmas time—even to "the enemy." If there were no dictators, and if the plain people could have their way, this would be a world of peace and good will.

### HOROSCOPE

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24

Adverse aspects rule today. It is unfavorable for beginning anything important. Under this configuration there may be an inclination toward deception, or even false statements. The young of the family may be inclined toward too much independence, but the stars seem to promise that they will become serious in their aims.

Canada will work quietly toward the victory of the British Empire. While her men fight bravely the Dominion will develop its industries marvelously. With the Earl of Athlone as Governor-General, all the resources of the land will be used successfully in providing for the needs of the beleaguered British Isles. Eire is to learn a sad lesson in the neutrality stand, the seers foretell.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of good and ill fortune. While financial matters prosper there may be losses or heavy expenditures.

Children born on this day probably will be talented in the arts or sciences. They may have varied careers, due to lack of business sagacity.

An archaeologist points out that the simplest board games of most countries are based on three human activities—the battle, the race and the hunt, and that modern types are chess, backgammon and fox-and-geese.

### THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



### Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR MISS DIX—When I am with some fellows and I pet and neck with them they call me a flop and don't date me again. Then I think maybe boys like girls who don't pet and neck. So the next time I go out with a fellow I won't pet and neck, and they call me a flop, too. Now, just how should I act? I am crazy about a boy and I want him to like me real well, but I am afraid to go out with him because I don't know what to do. I feel that if I kiss him he will think that I kiss all of the boys, but if I don't kiss him he will think that I am a flat tire and probably I will never see him again. What shall I do?

Answer: You will have to vary your technique and change it to suit the individual boy. Not every fish rises to the same sort of bait, you know, and if you desire to be a successful fisher of men you will have to find out what particular tidbit each craves.

Evidently there are a large number of boys with affectionate natures who like cuddly girls who are wholesome kissers and whose lips are free to every Tom, Dick and Harry. On the other hand, there are fastidious men who are disgusted by the methods of the petters and the neckers and who prefer dignified and reserved girls.

It is the difference between the mussy, pawed-over things in the bargain basement and the exclusive article put up in a box and wrapped in tissue paper that you get in a specialty shop. Which one a man prefers is a matter of taste.

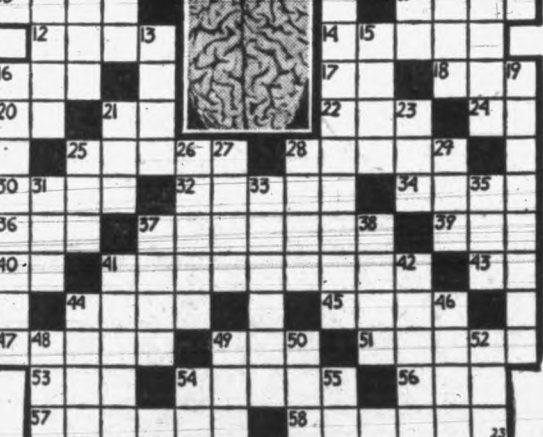
But you never find any one line that makes a hit with all men, my dear, because every man has a different mind about what he considers attractive in a girl. Some men like chatterboxes. Other men like quiet girls.

Some men like girls who are cut-ups. Other men flee from them. Some men like loud, boisterous girls. Other men loathe them. Some men like girls who haven't a grain of sense in their heads. Other men like highbrows.

And so it goes. And so the only tip I can give you is to study your man and adapt your line to him. But don't you think boys would respect you more if you didn't neck and pet, but were just a sweet, nice, lady-like girl?

DOROTHY DIX.

### Today's Crossword Puzzle



- |                                       |                                   |                                |                      |                              |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>HORIZONTAL</b>                     | 44 Raspberry plant.               | <b>VERTICAL</b>                | 1 To exist.          | ridges and                   |
| 1 Seat of intellect.                  | 45 Serrated tools.                | 2 Ranted.                      | 3 Barren.            | 19 Section of the brain.     |
| 5 It is a mass of nerve in the skull. | 49 Spike of corn.                 | 4 Sick.                        | 5 Last wills.        | 21 Bronze.                   |
| 10 English title.                     | 51 Domain.                        | 53 To soften leather.          | 6 Capuchin monkey.   | 23 Self.                     |
| 11 Female relative.                   | 54 Convict.                       | 56 Eucharist vessel.           | 7 Brings legal suit. | 25 Skillet.                  |
| 12 Repulsive.                         | 57 It terminates in the cord.     | 8 Below.                       | 9 Conjunction.       | 26 To furnish anew with men. |
| 14 Watched secretly.                  | 58 It consists of grey and white. | 13 Domestic slave.             | 27 Glided.           | 28 Virginia willow.          |
| 16 Grazed.                            |                                   | 15 Cordage fibre.              | 31 Age.              | 29 Unit of work.             |
| 17 Palm lily.                         |                                   | 16 Its surface is covered with | 33 Beast.            | 31 Age.                      |
| 18 Dry.                               |                                   |                                | 37 God of love.      | 38 To lacerate.              |
| 20 Idant.                             |                                   |                                | 41 Oleoresin.        | 42 Perspiration.             |
| 21 Form of "a".                       |                                   |                                | 44 To applaud.       | 46 Identical.                |
| 22 Gnawed.                            |                                   |                                | 48 Beast of burden.  | 49 Snaky fish.               |
| 24 Musical note.                      |                                   |                                | 50 Gypsy.            | 52 Gibbon.                   |
| 25 Peeps.                             |                                   |                                | 54 Note in scale.    | 55 North America (abbr.).    |
| 28 Statue.                            |                                   |                                |                      |                              |
| 30 Oceans.                            |                                   |                                |                      |                              |
| 32 Exultant.                          |                                   |                                |                      |                              |
| 34 Shield fillet.                     |                                   |                                |                      |                              |
| 36 Footed vase.                       |                                   |                                |                      |                              |
| 37 Celebrated.                        |                                   |                                |                      |                              |
| 39 Idle chatter.                      |                                   |                                |                      |                              |
| 40 Sun god.                           |                                   |                                |                      |                              |
| 41 Shoots forth.                      |                                   |                                |                      |                              |
| 43 Grain (abbr.).                     |                                   |                                |                      |                              |

- Answer to Previous Puzzle**
- |          |          |            |
|----------|----------|------------|
| 1 ISAAC  | 2 SIR    | 3 NEWTON   |
| 4 ARIA   | 5 ISAAC  | 6 SPIRIT   |
| 7 PLODS  | 8 HAW    | 9 IDAL     |
| 10 IDAL  | 11 AL    | 12 SPECIAL |
| 13 OBIT  | 14 ORAL  | 15 GLASS   |
| 16 SAP   | 17 CAGY  | 18 COOT    |
| 19 ON    | 20 MUTE  | 21 PUNT    |
| 22 D     | 23 SEES  | 24 GIBE    |
| 25 HOARD | 26 DALE  | 27 SAME    |
| 28 YOGI  | 29 SILO  | 30 BATES   |
| 31 MATHE | 32 MATIL | 33 CILIAN  |

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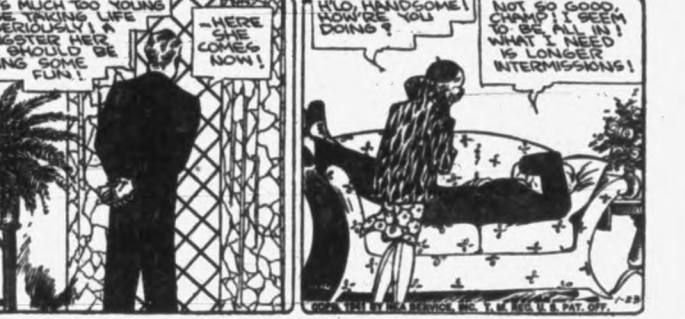
### Freckles and His Friends



### Bringing Up Father



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### By Roy Crane



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## Y.M.C.A. Tells of Work With Troops

What the Y.M.C.A. has been doing for the soldiers, sailors and airforce men in Canada and overseas is interestingly told in a well-illustrated 23-page booklet entitled "The First Year." It is

being mailed to 1,700 supporters of the Y.M.C.A. program on Vancouver Island.

Because of its experience in dealing with young men in peace time, the Y.M.C.A. is proving itself a valuable wartime organization, and the men in service and officers alike speak highly of the "Y."

To more than 300 points throughout Canada and overseas, the Canadian organization has sent trained supervisors and equipment to organize off-duty programs for the men.

St. John's A.Y.P.A. held a business meeting, when final plans for the annual dance to be held on January 31 at the Crystal Garden, were made.

On Sunday the branch will entertain the troops in the afternoon and evening. Members are asked to be at the hall at 2.

Next Tuesday Mr. Spencer will show moving pictures, and a good attendance is expected.

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## St. John Workers Show Efficiency



Lieutenant-Governor Eric W. Hamber and Mrs. Hamber hear about bandages from one of the cadets. On the platform, from left to right, are: Mrs. Mae Rice, private secretary to Mrs. Hamber; Lieut. Col. H. Allan, A.D.C. to His Honor; Mrs. Hamber; G. H. Stevens, president of the provincial branch of the St. John Ambulance Association; His Honor; Mrs. Stevens; H. W. Edwardson, honorary secretary of the provincial branch of the association; and Mrs. W. P. D. Pemberton, officer in charge of the St. John Ambulance Woman's Auxiliary.



Four members of Nursing Division No. 61 demonstrate first aid. The "victim" is Mrs. V. G. Pritchard. Lifting the "injured" woman on the stretcher, from left to right, are: Mrs. N. J. Ford, Mrs. R. Knapp and Mrs. F. A. Mathison.

Annual inspection of St. John Ambulance Brigade, the nursing division, cadets of the ambulance division and girl cadets of the nursing division, took place at the Crystal Garden last night.

Lieutenant-Governor Eric W. Hamber and Mrs. Hamber were among the spectators who admired the proficiency displayed by the first aid workers. Officials of the police departments and

Air Raids Precaution were present also.

Examining officers were Fyfe Smith, Vancouver, acting provincial commissioner of the St. John Ambulance Brigade, and A. Morrison, Vancouver, district superintendent of the brigade.

After the inspection Mr. Smith congratulated individual members and officers of the brigade for their efficient showing.

Mr. Hamber congratulated the first aid men, women, boys and girls. He was particularly impressed by the cadets.

His Honor spoke of the value of such an organization skilled in first aid work during wartime. The work was honored and respected by outsiders, he said.

The entire organization, numbering about 150 members, paraded in the lower ballroom of the Garden before the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Hamber. After forming ranks, awards were presented by Mr. Smith.

Those receiving A.R.P. instructors' certificates for treatment of gas poisoning were Superintendent E. J. Harwood, Ambulance Officer R. M. Barnes, Ambulance Officer Alex Jarvie, Sergeant W. R. Biggs, Sergeant George Sellers and Privates Stanley Crook, William Everall, Cliff Eowers and W. Lyle.

Private Percy Jarvie received the service chevron for general efficiency during the last three years.

Mrs. E. T. Thorn, superintendent of the nursing division, was awarded a home nursing instructor's certificate. Members of the nursing division who received A.R.P. instructor's certificates were Mrs. Thorn, Women's Ambulance Officers Mrs. Eva Rogers, Mrs. C. Barnes and Mrs. F. Hussey, Woman Cadet Superintendent Mrs. M. Sampson and Woman Cadet Officer Miss Gladys Heaton.

Ambulance Officer Miss Elizabeth Urchenko received the service chevron for efficiency in the brigade the last three years. Ten girl cadets received junior home nursing certificates.

Practical demonstrations were given by members of the various divisions. Fractured legs and arms were put in splints. Wounds were bandaged. Injured persons in beds were cared for.

The display concluded with teams of the brigade administering first aid to two "bombing victims" whose injuries were outlined by the inspectors.

Among the guests were Major S. F. M. Moodle, provincial A.R.P. inspector; Captain W. Ellis, chairman of the Victoria Civilian Protection Committee; C. H. Rutherford, Oak Bay A.R.P. head; G. H. Stevens, president of the St. John Ambulance Association; Inspector Walter Caldwell, city police; Chief H. C. F. Reston, Oak Bay police; and H. W. Edwardson, secretary of the Provincial Council of the St. John Ambulance Association.

Medical officials present were Dr. T. W. A. Gray, nursing division surgeon; Dr. G. B. B. Buffan, girl cadet division surgeon, and

## BABE RUTH SICK

NEW YORK (AP)—Babe Ruth has been in bed since Sunday with influenza, Mrs. Ruth revealed yesterday.

She said two doctors and a day and a night nurse are in attendance.

In addition to flu, the ex-sultan of swat also is suffering from laryngitis.

In disclosing the Babe's illness, Mrs. Ruth also said there was "nothing to reports" he might accept the post as manager of the Seattle club in the Pacific Coast League, for which he has been mentioned.

## Death Cause Unknown

NANAIMO (CP)—A coroner's jury yesterday was unable to place responsibility for the death January 15 of George Peterson of Gabriola Island, who drowned when trapped under an automobile that crashed from the highway into the Nanaimo River near here.

The jury's verdict stated Peterson was held in the water in such a manner he was unable to escape.

A companion, Gnr. Percy Stove of the Royal Canadian Artillery, testified that he could not remember what had happened. Stove was injured.

## SHAWNIGAN LAKE

SHAWNIGAN LAKE—The Women's Association of the Shawnigan United Church held the annual meeting at the home of Mrs. G. H. Garrard Tuesday afternoon. The meeting was presided over by the president, Mrs. A. Hallet. Satisfactory reports were read and tentative plans were made for raising funds. Election of officers for the ensuing year resulted in the following being elected: President, Mrs. W. C. Batchelor; vice-president, Mrs. A. Hallet; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. G. Morley; work committee, Mrs. A. Sutton, convener, Mrs. J. Fry and Mrs. E. G. Gibson.

## Movie Steel

Each year approximately 3,500 tons of steel are consumed by the motion picture industry in the construction and furnishing of movie "sets."

## Mary Reynolds Wins V.H.S. Musical Quiz

Mary Reynolds was winner of the musical quiz held yesterday afternoon during the meeting of Portia Society of Victoria High School. She scored 320 points out of 400.

The contest, which was conducted by Eileen Wills, was on all types of music from popular modern tunes to the classics. It provided much entertainment for the 60 members who attended.

Those who participated were: Mary Reynolds, Belva Shaw, Joyce Bishop, Margaret Waddy and Cecilia Davidson.

Jean Sinclair ran the gramophone and Edna Ford played the piano selections, Barbara Smith was timekeeper and Netta Hunter scorekeeper.

In addition to the contest a program, presided over by Edna Ford, musical convener of the society, was given. Piano solos were played by Netta Hunter, vocal solos by Joyce Bishop and selections by the High School quartette, consisting of Edna Ford, Netta Hunter, Jean Sinclair and Frances Rigby.

Bruce Bewell was elected editor-in-chief of the Camosun, Victoria High School annual, at a meeting of the five editors this week. Work for the production of the magazine, which will be published May 31, was assigned to the other four editors, Barbara Smith, Eileen

Wills, Jim McKeachie and Sam Gagliardi.

The third issue of the 1940-41 term of the Camosun, published by the students of the school, came off the presses Wednesday and is being distributed today. There are 700 subscribers to this paper.

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